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THAW'S LATEST EFFORT TO GAIN FREEDOM FAILS

Plan to Force Jury Trial Collapses Through Move of State.

FEAR PROBE OF BRIBE SCANDAL

When Thaw's Attorneys Learn of Effort to Have Whole Matter Aired Judge is Asked to Dismiss Proceeding; He Returns to Matteawan.

United Press Telegram.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Harry K. Thaw's latest attempt to escape from the asylum for the criminal insane at Matteawan failed today, and he was taken back to the institution.

Thaw, acting on the advice of Dr. Kennedy, had himself produced before Judge Griebrick in the Supreme Court here on a writ of habeas corpus, the plan being to force the case to a jury trial.

It failed, however, when the Thaw family discovered that the State intended to use the case as a lever to open up the scandal of the alleged bribery by Thaw of Matteawan officials.

Henry Hershberg, who introduced himself as "counsel for this defendant," asked the Justice that the writ be dismissed. This was done, and Thaw was immediately taken back to Matteawan. Former Governor Stone of Pennsylvania, today appeared as a member of Thaw's counsel.

Leaving the court room at the conclusion of the case Attorney Hershberg admitted that the reason for having the writ dismissed was the Thaw family's fear of more scandal, through the revelations of the alleged attempted bribery of Dr. John Russell.

"It was most unfortunate that the writ should have been made returnable at this time," said Attorney Hershberg. "With all of the talk of bribery in the air, we are convinced that Thaw would be unable to get an impartial trial. Later we intend to renew our efforts to gain my client's freedom."

As soon as court convened this morning, Attorney Hershberg asked that the writ be dismissed. He said that he had sufficient reasons to ask for the order.

Attorney Jerome, for the State, watched Thaw while Hershberg was making his plea, and when Hershberg concluded, he addressed the court.

"It's all right, your honor, for Thaw's counsel to request that the writ be dismissed," he said, "but the State would like to know the reasons for this action."

Hershberg replied that the reasons were of sufficient weight, but he did not give them.

PRAISES GUARDSMEN

Governor Tener Lauds Men Who Marched in Big Parade.

HARRISBURG, March 6.—Democratic members of the Legislature who attended the inauguration of President Woodrow Wilson returned to Harrisburg last night in company with Governor John K. Tener and the members of his staff.

Before leaving Washington Democratic Floor Leader E. Lowry Humes had a long talk with Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, National Committeemen from Pennsylvania; State Chairman George W. Guthrie; State Secretary James I. Blakslee, Vance C. McCormick and Bruce F. Sterling, chairman of Fayette county.

Governor Tener was pleased with the showing made by the Pennsylvania troops in the inaugural parade.

"Every Pennsylvanian who was in Washington must have been proud of our National Guard," said the Governor.

COAL IS SOLD

Pittsburg Man Buys West Virginia Tract for $300 an Acre.

MORGANTOWN, March 6.—A deal for the sale of 500 acres of coal in Union district was consummated yesterday. The sale included two tracts, one of 291 acres, the property of the Eichart heirs, and the other of 209 acres, known as the Smell land. The surface, Pittsburg, Sewickley and all other veins of coal were sold to W. H. Seymour, of Pittsburg, and the price was $300 an acre.

The property is situated between the Stewartstown and Warm Hollow roads in Union district, Monongalia county, and it is said that the purchaser expects to develop it without delay. One section of the land runs almost to the Cheat river.

North Union Teachers Elope.

Fuller Weed of Mount Braddock and Miss Mary Seeworker of Lemont Furnace, both teachers in the North Union township schools, eloped to Cumberland Saturday. Clifford Beck of Cumberland and Cora Olive Inks of Meyersdale, were married in Cumberland yesterday.

Guard Inspection Tonight.

The spring inspection of Company D will be held at the Armory this evening. The inspecting officer will be Major McNary of Pittsburg.

Goes for Operation.

Mrs. Thomas Capel of Ninth street, Greenwood, has been taken to the Mercy hospital, Pittsburg for an operation.

ACCUSED MEN DENY THEY KILLED LEGATTA FORTUNATO

Accuse Chief Witness Against Them of the Crime at Newell; Other Court Cases.

Special to The Courier.

UNIONTOWN, March 6.—Sam Penseon, one of the four men accused of killing Legata Fortunato at Newell, took the stand in his own defense this morning and was the only witness during the morning session in criminal court with the exception of Patsy Pasqualio, who was recalled for a brief examination.

Penseon told the same story as Pasqualio, that Frank Forta, the chief witness for the Commonwealth, was the actual slayer of Fortunato. The defendants declare Fortunato attempted to blackmail them, and that the shooting occurred when they went to see him. The men admit shooting Forta, but say they did so in self defense.

John Keffer was placed on trial in the small room today charged with shooting George Hensel in Connellsville. Keffer contended that Hensel was pointing a gun at him when he fired. He was convicted of aggravated assault and battery.

Abe Burkett, charged with a serious offense by Mrs. Joseph Buckley of Thompson, in behalf of her 12 year old daughter, was acquitted but directed to pay the costs. W. E. Taylor, tried at the same time for carrying concealed weapons, was convicted.

Four of the five tramps whose cases were held over until this term were convicted of vagrancy. One was acquitted. They were arrested in Connellsville.

GOOD WORDS FOR WILSON

House Sends Congratulations to New President; New Liquor Bill.

HARRISBURG, March 6.—The House today adopted a resolution providing that "The House of Representatives of the General Assembly of Pennsylvania, hereby extends to President Woodrow Wilson congratulations upon the auspicious opening of his administration, and bids him Godspeed in carrying out the progressive policies outlined in his inaugural address."

In the House today Swift of Beaver, introduced a bill limiting the hours during which intoxicants may be sold in the State. The bill provides that wholesale and bottling establishments may be open from 6 A. M. until 6 P. M.; retail places in cities from 5 A. M. to 9 P. M., and in boroughs and townships from 7 A. M. until 9 P. M.

Another anti-liquor bill was introduced this morning by Claycomb of Blair, prohibiting the soliciting for orders, except by licensed dealers.

Five amendments to the School Code were introduced today. The first is by Haggerty, of Lackawanna, and provides that relatives of Directors may be employed by the school district by the vote of two-thirds of the board, instead of three-fourths. The second, introduced by Dunn of Philadelphia, prohibits teachers or principals engaging in any other business. The third prohibits married women from teaching school, unless their husbands are unable to support them, or another competent teacher is not procurable.

Representative Gieser is fathering a bill, providing that School Taxes in third class districts shall be levied the same as those in cities. A bill introduced by Stone of Bradford, regulates the attendance of pupils in fourth class districts.

NOVEL SUIT AGAINST TRUST

Heavy Damages Asked From National Fireproofing Company.

CLEVELAND, March 6.—Suit under the Sherman anti-trust law to recover $1,921,011.99 from the National Fireproofing Company of Pittsburg, was filed in Federal Court here yesterday by attorneys for the Great Eastern Clay Products Company of South River, N. J.

The Great Eastern claims to have been damaged to the extent of $640,337.33 and under the Sherman law may sue for triple damages. It is said this suit of a private corporation against another corporation as a "trust," is the first notable instance of its kind in the country.

The petition alleges that a decree of dissolution, signed in 1909 by the National Company at the instance of the Attorney General, has not been observed.

SONORA IN REVOLT.

Rich State Balks at Accepting Huerta's Control.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., March 6.—Formal announcement was made today that Sonora, one of the richest States in Mexico, has defied the Huerta government, and intends to defend itself with armed troops if necessary. It is said that the capital of the State is fortified with cannon, and that the rebel leaders are prepared to offer a strong resistance to the federal troops.

News of the Sonora rebellion has given renewed life to the Maderoist movement in Northern Mexico, and hundreds of peasants are said to be flocking to their standards.

GREEKS CAPTURE CITY.

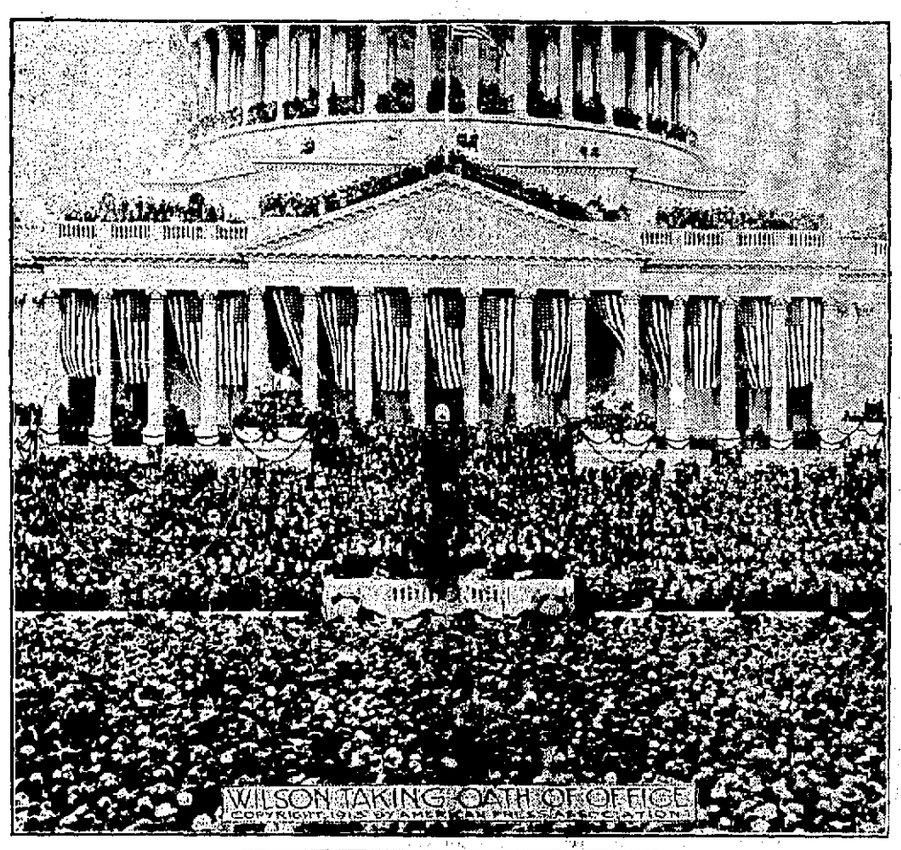
Take 30,000 Prisoners When Turkish Troops Capitulate.

United Press Telegram.

ATHENS, March 6.—The Turkish fortified city of Janiana surrendered to the Greeks yesterday afternoon. Thirty thousand prisoners were taken. This announcement was made this morning by the War Office.

The Turkish cruiser Hamidjah sunk three Greek transports, carrying Servian troops yesterday afternoon. The vessels were sunk in Turkish waters, south of Scutari. The greater number of the troops perished.

Half a Million Persons See Wilson Take Oath of Office.



CONNELLSVILLE MEN INTERESTED IN THE LIGONIER VALLEY

New Coking Developments Involve Investment of $250,000.

ROCKWELL MARIETTA BUYS COAL

Purchases 134 Acres North of Wilpen, Adjoining Plant of Marietta-Stillwagon Coal & Coke Company; 80 Oven Plant is to be Constructed.

Connellsville capitalists are interested in new coking developments in the Ligonier valley of the Upper Connellsville region, involving an investment of approximately $250,000, says The Weekly Courier this morning.

Rockwell Marietta has purchased 134 acres of coal north of Wilpen and near to the plant of the Marietta-Stillwagon Coal & Coke Company, of which he is President and manager. Engineers are now on the ground laying out the ovens, coal tipple and railroad sidings. The company will build about a mile of track to connect its plant with the Ligonier Valley railroad. The plant will consist of 80 ovens. It will be rushed to completion as rapidly as possible, and in the meantime the coal will be opened. The coal is drift coal and self-draining, the cheapest coal to operate known in mining circles. The coal is very soft and easily mined. Machines will not be necessary in the pit. The ovens will be of the beehive pattern and will be equipped with mechanical loaders. The pattern has not yet been determined. The coal is from 7 to 9 feet in thickness and analyzes less than 1% sulphur, making an excellent coke.

The price paid for the property averaged over $1,100 per acre, making the coal stand the company about $150,000. A year ago it could have been purchased at less than $400. The discovery that Connellsville coal was getting very scarce induced the owners to mark up the price. The company to operate this coal has not yet been formally organized, but it will be separate and apart from the Marietta-Stillwagon company.

The Marietta-Stillwagon Coal & Coke Company was organized some years ago by R. Marietta and the late Clair Stillwagon. It operated 40 ovens. Its coal is also drift and self-draining. Of its original purchase it has but about 18 acres remaining. To this it has added 30 acres by recent purchase, making 46 acres in all, which it is estimated will supply the plant during its life. This company has been operating full for some time past and has its product sold ahead on contract at liberal prices.

Allens Again Reprieved.

RICHMOND, Va., March 6.—Governor Mann last night granted a respite until March 28 to Floyd Allen and his son Claude Swanson Allen, under sentence to die in the electric chair at the State penitentiary on Friday next for their part in the Hillsville court murders on March 14, 1912.

Examine Inspectors on April 1.

Bituminous Mine Inspectors will take their annual examination in Pittsburg on April 1.

MERCURY TUMBLES, A GALE BLOWS AND SNOW IS HERE

Weather Man's Predicted Drop in Temperature Happens Along on Schedule.

The mercury took a 16 degree tumble over night, the wind blew a gale for a time and quite a bit of snow fell in the coke region. The weather man predicted a mark lower than freezing and his prophecy came true. The minimum temperature for the past 24 hours was 23 degrees. On Tuesday, with a downpour of rain, the temperature reached 54 degrees, but since then it has been dropping to lower levels.

There was a high wind during the night. It accompanied the snow storm but by daylight the weather had cleared. There was only one degree's variation between today's temperature figures and those for the same period a year ago. Today was slightly colder than then.

The storm striking the east at this time is the one that usually hits Washington every four years. It was late getting there and permitted the Democrats to have favorable weather for the inauguration.

LIENS ARE FILED

Borough Takes Steps to Protect Claims for Paving.

Municipal liens were filed at Uniontown this morning by Borough Solicitor F. D. Munson against the properties of several residents of Main street, West Side, who have neglected to pay assessments for the paving of that thoroughfare. The street was paved with brick last year, the work being completed last December.

The list of delinquents and the amounts of the liens follow: John Dorsey, $162.96; McClain Crossland, $216.90; Mary A. Jackson, $130.36; Harry Crossland, $195.55; Israel M. Hodgkins, $238.33; George Hahn, $157.25; W. M. Springer, $126.96; John Dean, $130.36; William Walker, $133.43; W. S. Blaney, $206.86; A. S. Haddock, $195.55; Harriet McKarns, $325.22; Mary Sneddon, $87.11; Jas. A. Veech, $1,369.93.

PROBE WASHINGTON COPS

Senate Committee Begins Investigating Complaint of Suffragettes.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Senate sub-committee investigating the inadequate police protection accorded suffragettes during Monday's parade, met this morning. Superintendent of Police Sylvester was the first one on the stand. He attempted to defend the action of his men.

That there will be no lack of evidence against the policemen was shown this morning, when scores of indignant suffragettes and their friends invaded the rooms where the investigating committee is sitting. It is said that Senator Poindexter has evidence showing that 20 members of the police department made no effort to stop the riotous actions of the mob during the progress of the parade.

THE WEATHER.

Generally fair tonight and Friday; colder tonight, is the noon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

	1913	1912
Maximum	39	40
Minimum	23	24
Mean	31	32

The Yough river fell during the night from 3.30 feet to 3.25 feet.

SUCCESSOR TO HOAG WILL BE DISCUSSED BY THE DIRECTORS

Chamber of Commerce Secretary Leaves for New Position.

MAY DEFER NAMING A NEW MAN

President Markell Will be Host to the Directors When Plans for the Organization Will be Talked Over; Directors May Take Active Charge.

For the purpose of discussing the advisability of selecting a successor to Secretary H. T. Hoag, who left yesterday for Saint John, N. B., the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce will hold a meeting tomorrow evening at the Arlington Hotel.

President F. E. Markell has made arrangements for a banquet to be served in a private dining room of the hotel, following which the business of the evening will be discussed.

Whether it will be decided to select a successor to Mr. Hoag at this time is conjectural. Some of the directors and members of the Chamber are of opinion that the work can be done by the President and his aides until summer. In this way one of the largest items of expense will be eliminated.

At the meeting plans for collecting dues of delinquent members will be considered. It had been decided several months ago to enforce the collection of dues by legal procedure, but such method is frowned upon by some, and before any decisive action is taken the plan will be thoroughly threshed out.

The meeting of the Directors yesterday afternoon was addressed by President Markell, who expressed regret at the decision of Secretary Hoag in leaving Connellsville. He said that its announcement was unexpected, and he wished the retiring Secretary success in his new field.

Mr. Hoag explained that he was not discouraged with the progress he had made in Connellsville during the short time he has been here. He said that he was sorry to leave, but that the financial consideration offered by the Saint John Chamber of Commerce was such that he was unable to reject it.

The Directors adopted a resolution complimenting Secretary Hoag for his services here and regretting his departure.

Smash the Moshers.

JOHNSTOWN, March 6.—"Smash [illegible] Mulhollen of Johnstown, "and then [illegible] accosted should use her umbrella. The masher has become a problem here through failure of Council to pass a loitering ordinance, aimed to bring offenders into police court.

No More Aigrettes.

PHILADELPHIA, March 6.—Under the direction of society leaders, 2,000 High School girls of the Quaker City have pledged themselves never to wear aigrettes. The girls' action is taken on the ground that the materials for the aigrettes are taken from living birds, subjecting them to torture and suffering.

PHILADELPHIA MAN IS GIVEN CALL TO U. P. CHURCH HERE

Rev. William J. Everhart Chosen to Succeed B. Frank White, Who Left in October.

The congregation of the United Presbyterian Church last night extended a call to Rev. William J. Everhart of the Mission church of Philadelphia to succeed Rev. B. Frank White, whose resignation took effect October 1. Rev. Everhart was unanimously elected on the first ballot. There were eight candidates.

A list of the candidates and sketch of their work was read before the congregation. Out of the several names presented, the members of the congregation was more impressed with that of Rev. Everhart. Four years ago he went to Philadelphia to conduct services in a portable church. He had 10 members then. The membership is now 210. Last year the amount collected was $3,000. On February 16 he preached a trial sermon in the Connellsville church and the congregation was greatly pleased with his preaching. Rev. John Calhoun of Germantown, a former Connellsville resident, in a letter to the congregation, highly recommended Rev. Everhart and stated that he thought the congregation would make no mistake in choosing him as their pastor. He further stated he was one of the most highly esteemed ministers of the Presbytery. He has a wife and one child.

The call will be reported to the Presbytery and a representative will be sent to Connellsville to moderate the call. The new pastor will be elected by the Presbytery at the next meeting. It will probably be several weeks before he will assume his charge.

Only six of the eight candidates were balloted on. About 100 members were in attendance. W. H. Francis, session clerk, was in charge.

ADDISON MODEL TOWN

Somerset County Hamlet Hundred Years Old, Will Celebrate.

Sir Thomas Moore, Joseph Fels and Jack London could take an object lesson for their teachings to ease the ills to which human society is heir, in the little town of Addison, nestling in the southern border of Somerset county.

This remarkable little hamlet, with a population of 300, will celebrate its centenary with an Old Home-Coming Day July 4.

There is one licensed bar in the place and three churches with no friction between the two elements. The residents have never signed an anti-saloon petition. All of the heads of the households are property owners with the exception of one tenant, who is saving money to buy a farm. There has never been a sheriff's sale since the town was founded, and there has never been any use for a lockup.

Addison has one street and along it for three-quarters of a mile are the residences, one bank, three stores and three blacksmith shops. There is one policeman.

The town was founded by Peter Augustine, who came from Holland 100 years ago. The fourth, fifth and sixth generations of Augustine are represented in the hamlet.

WILSON IS IN EARNEST

Declines to Discuss Appointment With Florida Senators.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—That the Wilson embargo against office seekers is in force was demonstrated this morning by the President himself, when he refused to meet Senators Fletcher and Bryan of Florida, who desired to influence him in the matter of appointing a Federal judge and and District Attorney in Florida.

The President made an appointment with these Senators yesterday, under the impression that they desired to hold a conference with him on adairs of state. When he learned this morning, however, that their errand was to secure the appointment of friends to government positions, he refused to meet them.

President Wilson referred the Senators to Attorney General McReynolds, with the information that these appointments would be made by him.

SENIOR CLASS PINS.

Coke Ovens Have Place on the 1913 Souvenirs.

The new High School class pins and rings were ordered this morning and it is expected that they will be delivered in a few days. They are of a boat design, which are chosen by a committee consisting of Principal B. B. Smith, School Director Lloyd Shaw, Superintendent S. P. Ashe and Joseph R. Buttermore, President of the Senior class.

The inscription "Connellsville High School, 1913," is engraved around a raised likeness of two coke ovens.

CYRUS ECHARD HURT.

Got Bad Injury When Stable Door Falls Upon Him.

While attempting to move a door at the H. C. Frick Coke Company's stable at Bitner yesterday afternoon, Cyrus Echard was caught beneath it when the door dropped from the hinges. He was painfully injured.

One of Mr. Echard's knees was wrenched and he received numerous lacerations about the body. He was taken to the home of his son, Dr. Thomas B. Echard, where the injuries are being treated. They are not serious.

Ashes for York Avenue.

Borough employes under the direction of Street Commissioner James Stoufer are hauling ashes and filling in depressions on York avenue. The thoroughfare has been in a deplorable condition.

COPS AND FIREMEN IN CLASH; WHISKEY BOTTLES TO BLAME

Chief Finds Them in West Side Cells and Tilt Follows.

FIREMEN DENY RESPONSIBILITY

New Policeman Finds Bottles in Cell Room After Chief Had Set Them Out and Blames Firemen for Trying to Get Him Into Trouble.

A clash between members of the Fire Department and reorganized police force, which for a time threatened to culminate in a physical encounter, occurred yesterday afternoon in the West Side building. Fireman Arch Holliday and Patrolman J. D. Humphries were the belligerents.

The hostilities followed a visit of inspection by Chief of Police George Hetzel, who found a large number of beer and whiskey bottles concealed in dark corners of the cells.

The firemen occupy the second floor. When Chief Hetzel entered he found the doors leading into the rooms occupied by the police open. The rooms were empty. Making his way to the rear of the building, the Chief entered one of the cells for the purpose of ascertaining its sanitary condition. There he found several empty half-pint whiskey bottles. These he laid at one side in the hallway, and then entered a second cell. Hidden in a corner behind a commode were beer bottles, a pint whiskey bottle and more half-pint bottles. After carrying the collection of glassware to the front of the building and placing it in the public room, the Chief went out in search of Patrolman Humphries, who is doing day duty on the West Side this week. While he was absent the clash between the patrolman and fireman occurred.

Humphries had returned to the building and discovered the bottles spread out on the floor. At this time Firemen Holliday and Sherrick entered. The new cop charged the firemen with placing the bottles in the building for the purpose of getting him into trouble with his superiors. Holliday denied the assertion and Humphries lost his temper. He invited the firemen to fight. Words followed but no blows were struck.

Fire Chief Haddock heard of the affair shortly before six o'clock, and within an hour was at City Hall. He called Chief Hetzel and Burgess J. L. Evans to the later's room, and informed both of them that none of his men had placed the bottles in their hiding places, and he didn't like the idea of any insinuations being made that they had.

"If they want to drink in their quarters, they can dispose of the empty bottles in other ways than taking them down stairs and hiding them in the cells," he declared hotly. "And another thing, none of my men are in the habit of going into the rooms occupied by the police. I have issued orders forbidding them to do so."

Before he left the West Side building yesterday afternoon, Chief Hetzel had instructed the firemen that they are not to enter the police department there under any pretext. This was one of the reasons for Haddock's loss of temper.

WILL RAISE BIG FUND

Y. M. C. A. Seeks Half a Million for Chicago Training School.

To raise a half million dollars before May 10 in the Chicago Training School's teritory, of which Connellsville and Altoona mark the extreme eastern boundary, for the purpose of housing and endowing the institution names, was the decision of the Y. M. C. A men who met in Pittsburg Tuesday to consider means of recruiting the working forces of the Association.

With more than 300 vacancies awaiting the right kind of men and with new places, towns and sections of cities daily demanding the organization of Associations, the problem of manning the work and making proper use of the millions of dollars being poured into the Association treasuries is now the most serious one confronting the organization. Secretary E. T. Baer attended.

UNIONTOWN GIRLS RUN AWAY.

Lassies Find Starving in Pittsburg Leads to Police Station.

Three young girls, tiring of life in Uniontown, ran away and came to Pittsburg to see the sights. They were arrested last evening and locked in the Central Police Station. They gave their names as Lizzie Andy, aged 17; Helen Andy, aged 16, and Emma Andy, aged 15.

The girls said they left home Tuesday morning and arrived in Braddock in the evening, staying over night with an uncle, but they did not give the uncle's name. The girls had no money and said they had had nothing to eat since Tuesday night. The Uniontown police were telegraphed.

Policeman Gets Furlough.

Anxiety for the safety of his father from whom he has not heard for six months, caused Patrolman H. N. Laley to secure a leave of absence this morning, and go to his home at Smithton. Mr. Laley has written to his parent on several occasions. Not receiving a reply he fears that he may be ill and need of his assistance.

SOCIETY.

Birthday Surprise Party.

Mrs. C. C. Bittner was tendered an enjoyable surprise party Tuesday evening at her home on Ninth street, Greenwood. The affair was in honor of her birthday and was arranged by her friends. The evening was spent at various amusements. A dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Bittner received a number of useful and pretty presents and a sum of money. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Martz and daughter, Miss Anna, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Petenbrink, Mr. and Mrs. C. Homes of Scottdale and Miss Susie Bittner of Pleasant Union, Somerset county.

Fancy Work Club Entertained.

Mrs. E. S. Marsh entertained the G. I. A. Ladies' Fancy Work Club yesterday afternoon at her home in South Pittsburg street. The hours were from 2.30 to 5 o'clock. Luncheon was served.

Mission Band to Meet.

The regular meeting of the Boys' Mission Band of the First Presbyterian church will be held tomorrow afternoon in the church chapel at the close of school. A large attendance is desired.

All Day Sewing.

An all day meeting of the Ladies' Sewing Circle of the First Baptist Church was held today in the church.

Chicken and Biscuit Supper.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Christian Church will hold a chicken and biscuit supper this evening in the dining room of the church.

Will Entertain Needleworkers.

Mrs. L. F. Hayman will entertain his Sixty Acre Needlework Club this evening at her home on the South Side.

Evening at Fancy Work.

Miss Bessie McGill will entertain the J. B. Fancy Work Club this evening at her home on Carnegie avenue.

J. O. C. Society to Meet.

The regular monthly business and social meeting of the J. O. C. Society of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School will be held next Thursday evening at the home of the Misses Kimmell in Eighth street, Greenwood.

Bible Class Will Meet.

The regular meeting of the Young Ladies' Bible Class of the First Baptist Sunday School taught by L. B. Martin will be held tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Lulu Bailey on East Main street. All members are invited.

Routine Business Transacted.

Business of a routine nature was transacted at the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the O. R. C. held in Odd Fellows' hall. There was a large attendance.

Church Session Will Meet.

The session of the First Presbyterian Church will meet this evening at 7.45 at the manse on West Peach street.

MRS. PIERCE DIES

West Side Woman Succumbs to Operation in Pittsburg.

Mrs. Agnes B. Pierce, wife of E. C. Pierce of the West Side, died last night at the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg, following an operation performed on last Thursday. The body will be brought to Connellsville this afternoon and removed to the family residence on Ninth street, by Funeral Director C. C. Mitchell.

Mrs. Pierce had resided in the West Side for a number of years and was widely and favorably known. Her death was not unexpected. In addition to her husband she is survived by the following children: Martha, Jack, Rebecca, Grace, Robert, Merle and Harold, all at home. Mrs. Charles Rowe of Greenwood is a sister.

CONNELLSVILLE DRUGGIST MAKES A STATEMENT.

We always advise people who have stomach or bowel trouble to see a doctor. But to those who do not wish to do this we will say: try the mixture of simple buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., known as Adler-i-ka. This simple new remedy is so powerful that JUST ONE DOSE usually relieves sour stomach, gas on the stomach and constipation QUICKLY. People who try Adler-i-ka are surprised at its QUICK action. Fred H. Harmening, Druggist, 816 West Main street.—Advertisement.

New Wrecking Device.

The Pennsylvania railroad has purchased 12 120-ton self-propelling steam cranes to be used for clearing wrecks. The engines are to be placed on every division between Pittsburg and New York city. The cranes are able to carry greater weight than the old ones and the boom is longer, in order to enable the machine to handle the modern steel equipment. Another improvement is the substitution of clutches, which are air-operated, for the old levers which lowered and raised the boom.

Get a Marriage License.

Leo Shaw and Hattie Johnson, both of Mount Pleasant, were granted a marriage license in Greensburg yesterday.

Samuel Truxal Dead.

Samuel Truxal, aged 91, died yesterday morning at his home in Greensburg.

A GENEROUS OFFER

Your Money Refunded If Parisian Sage Doesn't Banish Dandruff.

Pretty strong talk, perhaps you'll say, but it's honest talk, every word of it, because if A. A. Clarke was not absolutely certain; if he did not know from actual results obtained he could not make such a generous offer.

Parisian Sage can now be obtained in every town in America. It is guaranteed to stop falling hair and itching scalp.

It is the ideal, delightful, refreshing hair dressing that makes hair grow in abundance. Parisian Sage is a prime favorite with women, because it keeps the hair brilliant and fascinating, is daintily perfumed, and is not sticky or greasy.

The price for a large bottle is only 50 cents at A. A. Clarke's who guarantees it. Sold everywhere, or direct, all charges prepaid, by the American makers, Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.—Advertisement.

HEAR TAX PROTEST

Washington County Coal Owners Object to Assessments.

Appeals for lower coal valuations in various sections of Washington county were made to the County Commissioners last week. Representatives of many of the operating companies and also of individual owners appeared and asked for reductions.

The chief complaint was made by holders of coal in Amwell and Fallowfield townships. In the former it is claimed that the coal is valued at an average of $135 per acre, whereas the coal in South Strabane township, adjoining Amwell, is valued at an average of $150.

There are no mines in Amwell township and no prospect of any for years to come, coal men affirm. The only railroad touching the township is a narrow gauge, and there is little likelihood of any other roads being built within the near future. On the other hand there are operating mines in South Strabane, and the B. & O. and Chartiers Valley railroads go through that township. The Amwell coal is held chiefly by J. V. Thompson, the Vesta and Pittsburg Coal companies.

In Fallowfield township the coal is valued at $300 per acre, in Carroll at $275 and in Somerset at $175. Both the latter townships adjoin Fallowfield and have operating mines and similar railroad development.

The coal men believe $115 per acre would be a fair valuation of the Amwell and South Strabane coal.

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FIRE AND WATER

Threaten H. C. Frick On His Ocean Yacht Bound for Colon.

H. C. Frick has been interested in coal in many ways in the last 40 years, and, as a rule, most successfully, says the Coke Trade Journal, but he had a somewhat unfortunate experience with coal one day last week when the bunker supplies in the yacht in which he was voyaging to Colon, took fire. Luckily the boat was within reach of her destination and securing the services of the fire department upon arrival the smouldering mass was cooled off with a loss of only about $1,000.

TOWNSHIP CONTEST.

Dunbar High School Societies Meet Tomorrow Evening.

Arrangements have been completed for the annual literary contest of the Frickesonian and Leisenonian Literary societies of the Dunbar township schools to be held tomorrow evening in the High School building at Leisenring No. 1.

The contest promises to be the best ever held and has created quite an interest among the students and patrons of the school. The subjects are well chosen and able speakers have been selected by both societies.

Will Continue Building.

The Ohio Steel & Wire Company, Youngstown, which began construction work on a plant some time ago and then suspended operations, has announced that new interests have taken hold of affairs and new capital will enable a completion of the plant at an early date. The new capital is understood to be from Pittsburg.

Klingensmith Goes South.

Lee Klingensmith of Morgan Station has gone to Texas for a trial with the Waco team. He is a fast outfielder who played with Jeannette last season. Morgan fans and Frick league friends will pull for him to make good.

Sell Many Chautauqua Tickets.

The success of the mid-summer Chautauqua, to be held here in August, is now assured. Representatives of the Redpath-Brockway Bureau of Pittsburg, who have been in town for several weeks, have disposed of over $1,000 worth of admission tickets.

Forming Musical Class.

Emil Hanke of the Mount Pleasant Institute was in Connellsville yesterday making arrangements to establish a class for violinists at the Y. M. C. A. The class will be organized within a week, with Miss Ruth Taylor of Mount Pleasant, instructor.

Child Dead at Royal.

Frank Beeson King, 10 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron King of Royal, died of pneumonia following a week's illness. He is survived by his parents, two sisters and two brothers. The interment was made in St. Joseph's cemetery, Connellsville.

Baltimore Man Dead.

Alexander L. Boggs, 77 years old, a former resident of Baltimore, died this morning at Claymont near Philadelphia. Mr. Boggs was a brother-in-law of Mrs. William A. Edie.

Get Marriage License.

Edward S. Miller of New Philadelphia, O., and Anna J. Kimmel of Ferryopolis, were granted a marriage license in Uniontown yesterday.

Baby Boy Arrives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smidtke of Trotter are the proud parents of a bouncing baby boy which arrived yesterday morning.

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The only Baking Powder made from Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

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TURBAN STYLES.

The upper sketch is of a mustard yellow hemp turban with a round, black velvet crown and two black feathers caught by pleated ornaments of bright rose-colored velveteen.

The other hat is a white chip, trimmed with smoke gray feathers and pink roses.

BUREAU ISSUES REPORT

American Railroads Spending Big Sums for Improvement.

The Bureau of Railway Economics has issued a report of earnings and expenses of railways in the United States during 1912. The compilation shows that the total operating revenue amounted to $2,923,936,957. Of this sum, $2,033,374,191 was freight revenue. Every mile of railroad operated in the United States, according to the report, brought in a gross revenue of $13,287, while the net operating revenue amounted to $4,148 per mile. The total operating expenses of the railroad was $2,011,091,836, the railroad spending $169,013,375 for new equipment and maintenance.

The total net revenue of the railroads was $912,845,121. The report divides the roads into Eastern, Western and Southern groups. The Eastern group leads the others both in revenue and the increase of profit over the previous year.

Jamison Plants Electrified.

The Jamison Coal & Coke Company is electrifying all of its mining and coking plants in the Greensburg-Connellsville field, substituting electricity for compressed air. Fifteen locomotives, electrical machines, dynamoes and generators have been purchased, and nearly all of the new equipment has been installed.

Farmers Meet Next Week.

The monthly meeting of the Union Farmers Club of Fayette County will be held Saturday, March 15, at the home of John Gilchrist near Uniontown. "Resuscitating the Old Farm," will be discussed.

IDLE FURNACES FIRED AND NEW ONES PLANNED

Indications Point to Greater Demand for Furnace Coke Than Ever Before.

A number of changes in the operations of blast furnaces have recently been made or are scheduled to take place in the near future. The net result of these changes will be a considerable increase in active pig iron capacity.

In Pennsylvania, the Delaware river furnace, Chester, will go in shortly, after being out several weeks for improvements. One of the Worth furnaces at Coatesville, now relining, will be ready for the blast in a few weeks. One of the Warrick furnaces, Pottstown, which has been running upon foundry, is changing to low phosphorus. The Thomas Iron Company is considering the putting in of another stack.

The Pennsylvania Steel Company has blown in the Lochiel furnace at Steelton and now has all its blast furnace capacity in operation, including five stacks at Steelton and three at Lebanon.

The Maryland Steel Company has three furnaces active and one idle at Sparrows Point. The one idle furnace of the combined Pennsylvania and Maryland groups is being rebuilt and will be ready for the blast in the near future.

Marshall furnace at Newport, Pa., has blown out, but Musconetcong furnace, Stanthope, N. J., has blown in.

The United States Steel Corporation is considering the material enlargement of its blast furnace capacity in the Chicago district and also at Lorain, O. At both of these plants, when steel works and finishing mills are running full, difficulty is encountered in obtaining sufficient pig metal. No decision has yet been reached as to the number of furnaces to be added.

Goes to Ohio.

Attorney H. G. May left today for Norristville, Ohio, on a business trip. He expects to spend the remainder of the week there.

Abe Martin.

Many a effler registers at th' "Grand Central" that eats at a "Busy Bee."

Rev. Wiley Tanger has accepted a call t' Fiptown, where he'll have th' advantage o' a skatin' rink.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. L. Sherrick of Wilkinsburg, is the guest of Mrs. D. K. Dilworth of Washington avenue.

Mrs. C. A. Port and Mrs. John Shelton were at East Liberty this afternoon attending the funeral of their sister, Mrs. Newton Murray.

Mrs. R. K. Smith of Dawson, was shopping in town today.

Mrs. T. H. Doorley and two children of Marguerite, have returned home, after a visit with the former's parents, Superintendent and Mrs. P. J. Tormay.

A high class Spring suit for $18 or $20 that would cost you $10 more, elsewhere. Dave Cohen, Tailor.—Adv.

Mr. and Mrs. David Randolph and daughter, Imogene, and Mrs. William Watts arrived home from Washington, D. C., where they attended the inauguration.

R. T. Holland of Patterson avenue, left this morning for Canyon City, Col., to visit his brother, W. B. Holland. He will be absent for several months. His mother, Mrs. J. F. Holland, accompanied him to Pittsburg.

Miss Eva Leckenby of Meyersdale, has returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Rev. J. L. Proudfit, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, will preach next week in the First Presbyterian church at Zolienple of which Rev. A. P. Bittinger is pastor.

Miss Mabel Sawhill of Braddock, returned home today after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Stout of Morrell avenue, Greenwood.

Mrs. Harry Luterman of Uniontown, was the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millard of Trevor street, yesterday.

Miss Susie Bittner of Pleasant Union, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bittner of Ninth street, Greenwood.

Patronize those who advertise.

Mrs. Philip Riley of Leisenring No. 1 is visiting friends at Smock.

DILLINGER COKE PLANT

In West Virginia Enlarging and Will Install Mechanical Drawers.

The Winona Coal & Coke Company, which operates coal mines and a plant of 30 ovens at Coffman, on the Wheeling Division of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, near Grafton, W. Va., is figuring on the construction of 50 more ovens. Robert Hay, Superintendent of the plant, is in the Connellsville region getting pointers on modern oven construction and consulting with the owners of the plant, chief among whom is Daniel R. Dillinger of Ruffsdale.

The new plant will be equipped with mechanical coke drawers and loaders, but the pattern has not yet been determined. Operators contemplating the installation of mechanical drawers are viewing with a lively interest the new machine patented by D. B. Stauft and being tried out at the Taylor coke plant in the Lower Connellsville region.

The Winona company mines both the Upper and Lower Freeport coal seams, washing and coking the softer portions of the seams. The Lower seam has 5 feet of coal which makes excellent coke, while a portion of the other seam is used for coking, the remainder being marketed as coal.

CAMBRIA STEEL EARNINGS

Report for 1912 Shows Substantial Gain Over That for 1911.

The report of the Cambria Steel Company for 1912 business shows that the net earnings were $3,901,651 against $3,248,745 in 1911. The balance available for dividends was equal to 7.53 per cent on the capital stock as against 6.17 per cent available the year previous.

The total income for 1912 amounted to $4,446,799 in 1912 and $3,618,333 in 1911. After dividends had been paid the surplus remaining amounted to $1,161,083 in 1912 and $527,338 in 1911.

Old Mine Reopened.

A mine operated until about 1909 by the Ashville Coal & Coke Company, at Ashville, Cambria county, has been reopened under direction of C. P. Burtner of Altoona, and is now producing coal.

Sell Tickets Fast.

The sale of tickets for the Y. M. C. A. concert to be given on March 13 is progressing favorably. One of the members of the Boy Campers' Club has sold 23 of the pasteboards.

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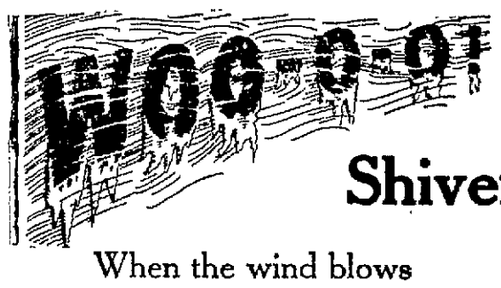

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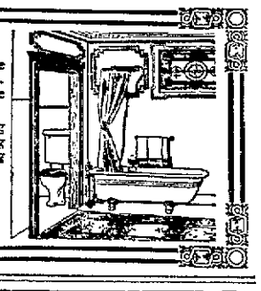

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The News of Nearby Towns.

POINT MARION.

POINT MARION, March 5.—T. Richards and W. Johnson of Pittsburg, were here doing business with the glass companies of this place.

Mr. Mattox, Mr. Markel, Mr. Conneily, Mr. Kenneiley anod Mr. McDermott of Pittsburg, were here last week inspecting the telephone lines.

Mr. Hopting of Pittsburg, was here on business Tuesday.

W. S. Rumble and son of Kotoba, W. Va., are here to enter into their new positions at the Gillespie works.

The Quertinmont glass works of Fairchance, will begin work between the 12th and 15th of this month.

Ray Hayney of this place expects to move to Fairchance next week, where he will take up his work in the Fairchance factory.

William South, the plumber, who has had his business located on Railroad street, will now occupy the old Keyser building on Penn street, where it is more suited to his work as a plumber.

M. L. Titus, manager of the Morris glass works, is out on the road for the interest of the works.

Several people of Point Marion went to Washington, D. C., Tuesday to the inauguration of President Wilson, who is about to enter upon the duties of the nation.

Miss Gail E. Rodgers of Grafton, W. Va., was in Point Marion Monday and Tuesday visiting at the home of his mother Sunday at Grafton W. Va.

Miss Goldie Blosser of Cheat Haven, is here visiting friends.

The Loyal Berean Adult Bible Class of the First Baptist Sunday School entertained the Union Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday School on Monday evening of this week in the Baptist church basement. There were close one hundred of the members of the two classes together with their friends. The evening was spent enjoyably by all present. A program was rendered as follows: Singing of "America," by all; prayer by the Rev. H. S. Chenworth, pastor of the First Baptist Church; reading by Miss Nola Carr, a member of the Loyal Berean class and a teacher in the public schools; short talks were made by the Rev. Chenworth, Dr. M. H. Powers and Miss Maud Conn, the latter two being the teachers of the Union class. Music was furnished by a Victor Victrola furnished by Beck's pharmacy. Refreshments were then served which was a delicious lunch. About 11.30 the guests departed, all remarking what an enjoyable evening they had.

Mrs. Charles Baker of Monessen, is now at home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart for a few days.

On Monday evening, March 3, Mrs. Annie Huey of Point Marion gave a party in honor of her twin daughters Josephine and Geraldine Huey's eleventh birthday. Those present were: Josie Christy, Helen Hildebrand, Helen Burchinal, Miss Lina Messick, Miss Anna Fleckenstein, Miss Esther Titus, Miss Emma Flickner, May Foley, Jean Leonard, Misses Leonora and Emma Fleckenstein, Misses Opal and Dorthea Smith, Herman Young, Edwin Miller, Thiron Prevance, Burdell Messick, Forest Huey. The twins received many lovely and useful presents and among them was a beautiful bouquet presented by the Rev. C. L. Queen, pastor of the Methodist Protestant church. Visitors Rev. Queen and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Tapp.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, March 5.—Now since the inauguration is over and Woodrow Wilson has been the choice of the nation we hope for a prosperous administration for the next four years.

Joseph Works of Connellsville, spent a few days here among friends and relatives.

Squire Marietta of near Mill Run, spent today in Connellsville on business.

Mrs. Frank Fagan of Connellsville, who has been visiting realtives and friends at Jones Mill for the past week, returned home today.

Calvin Prinkey and wife of Mill Run, are calling on Connellsville friends today.

Leslie Barry, who has been visiting friends in Mill Run for a few days, returned to Broad Ford today.

J. C. May, one of our hustling merchants of Mill Run, left for Connellsville today to transact business.

Dr. Jackson of Mill Run, left for Connellsville today to have some teeth extracted and other dental work done.

William Marietta of Mill Run, left for Pittsburg today where he entered as a telegraph student. "Bill" is anxious to learn this profession; may success be his reward.

M. E. Frazee of Connellsville, is along the Indian Creek valley today on business.

The Indian Creek Valley railroad, which has been coaling engines at the John Rogers mine since the beginning of traffic on their line, has discontinued getting this supply of coal, as they have opened a mine of their own and have all modern equipment for coaling their engines. This will mean quite a saving for the Indian Creek Valley railroad.

F. W. Sickel returned home from Washington today well pleased with the inauguration ceremonies.

STAR JUNCTION.

STAR JUNCTION, March 5.—Mrs. G. Eskon and Mrs. George Murphy were in McKeesport today.

J. H. Price of Dawson, was a business caller in town today.

George Myers was visiting friends in Connellsville today.

Miss Margaret Santmyer is in Connellsville today attending a party which is to be given in her honor.

R. M. Pollack is in Pittsburg today on business.

A number of persons of this place were in Perryopolis to attend the fourth number on the Perry High School lecture course.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Murphy and family were in Vanderbilt on Saturday to attend the wedding of J. Milroy Litten and Miss Irene Lint.

PRESIDENT WILSON AND HIS CABINET

OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, March 6.—Misses Anna and Lillian Nicholson entertained the Daughters of Ruth at their home, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. W. P. Jackson of Connellsville, after spending this week the guest of her mother, Mrs. Ella Potter, returned to her home yesterday.

Mrs. I. W. Show returned to her home here last evening, after spending the past few days calling on Uniontown friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Glotfelty of Connellsville, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Glotfelty on Lower Commercial street.

Mrs. Charles Cunningham, after a short visit with Uniontown friends, arrived at her home here last evening.

B. A. Show spent yesterday calling on Connellsville friends.

B. F. Rafferty was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Miss Effie Potter departed yesterday to make a visit with her sister, Miss Leah Potter at Philadelphia.

Charles Williams spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Uniontown looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Odbert spent Wednesday calling on Connellsville friends.

Lawrence Cunningham spent yesterday in Connellsville.

Cyrus Show was a Connellsville business visitor yesterday.

Mrs. Raymond Show of Sugar Loaf, spent yesterday shopping in town.

J. P. Grindle spent Wednesday in Connellsville.

Albert Younkin spent Tuesday calling on Rockwood friends.

Mrs. Elizabeth Williams and son, Charles, left Tuesday for Uniontown to attend to business matters.

Mrs. Theodore Marietta was calling on Connellsville friends, Tuesday.

G. Williams of Uniontown, was a business caller in Ohiopyle yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Holt spent Tuesday shopping and visiting among Connellsville friends.

H. Marietta was a Connellsville business caller on Tuesday.

Kimmel Welsh of Bear Run, was in town last evening.

E. H. Kennedy was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Fred A. Lowery of Green Briar, spent Tuesday with his grandmother, Mrs. R. J. Stull on Garrett street.

Mrs. Charles Cunningham left on Tuesday for Uniontown to make a short business call.

Thomas Glotfelty was a Connellsville business caller on Tuesday.

M. H. Hochstetler spent Tuesday looking after business matters in Connellsville.

A. E. Glotfelty of Connellsville, spent Tuesday evening with friends on Garrett street.

Mrs. I. W. Show left last evening for Uniontown to make a short visit with friends.

Miss Lena Rafferty of Mill Run, spent Tuesday with her grandparents on Garrett street.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolphus Shipley of Cumberland, Md., arrived here Tuesday evening on train No. 15 to spend the summer in Ohiopyle. Their many friends are glad to see Mr. and Mrs. Shipley in town with them again.

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If you want special advice write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential) Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman and held in strict confidence.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, March 6.—The Sunshine Coal & Coke Company, operating the old Wharton mines, has shut down on account of the best quality of coal being exhausted. They have a corps of engineers surveying for a way to get to their holdings of several bocks of coal that they own in Nicholson township which lies contiguous to the old Wharton ovens.

L. E. Price, Morgantown; C. B. Craighead, G. L. Katz, Pittsburg; E. C. Barnhart, William Church, J. W. Havilicheck, Ray Coldren, W. H. Williams, H. O. Walters, Uniontown; O. M. Ameden, Jamestown, N. Y.; M. S. Sangston, Woodside; W. F. Brickman, Connellsville, were registered at the Smithfield House Tuesday.

Bruce McCartney and wife of Connellsville, were visiting Mrs. McCartney's parents, C. D. Crow and wife over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Crow and Emerson Deffenbaugh were quietly married at Uniontown by the pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church Wednesday. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Crow of Smithfield and a teacher of the Pleasant Hill school in Georges township. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Deffenbaugh a prosperous and progressive farmer of Nicholson township.

Town Council met in regular session Tuesday night with all members present. The matter of electing a Street Commissioner laid over from the last meeting at which Council deadlocked on B. F. Black and Silas Van Bromen, coming up when Van Bremen was declared elected. The voted resulted, Van Bremen 4, Black 3. A motion prevailed instructing the Finance Committee to use the available funds on deposit in the bank to pay off borough orders held by the bank. The President was instructed by motion to foreclose on a lien held by the borough on the David Patton lot on the corner of Main and Liberty street. The lien is for $85.75 with interest, for paving. The tax levy was fixed by an ordinance at six mills, the same as 1912.

Jonathan Moody, a fireboss at Mount Sterling, and wife, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives at this place.

A. M. Langdon, A. P. Dewalt, Pittsburg; W. G. Parshall, Pennsville; T. S. Barker, B. Lowery, C. L. Farr and H. E. Irwin, Connellsville; P. McFaught, Somersville, N. J.; Ira King, E. G. Snyder, Uniontown; R. W. Coleman, Point aMrion, were recent arrivals at Barton's.

I. M. Abraham is laid up with rheumatism.

Martin Tobin of White House, was in the borough Tuesday morning seeking legal advice in a coal deal.

William Barton has his pipe line laid across Georges creek and is now within the borough limits with his mountain water line.

Mrs. A. C. Kiger of East Georges was a borough shopper Tuesday.

A Howard, borough tax collector, is doing duty this week as a grand juror.

M. C. Stuck was transacting business at the county seat on Monday.

Dr. A. C. Abraham of Brownsville, was visiting his parents here, Sunday.

The ordinance of baptism by immersion was administered to several applicants in the Baptist church, Sunday.

Clyde O. Bosley was a business visitor at Uniontown on Monday.

Reuben McCann of Nicholson township, was a borough business visitor on Monday.

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Asparagus	100 to 250	Peaches	200 to 300
Beans	60 to 100	Pears	150 to 300
Blackberries	150 to 300	Plums	100 to 200
Cherries	150 to 300	Potatoes (Irish)	100 to 150
English Walnuts	125 to 300	Potatoes (Sweet)	100 to 150
Figs	100 to 200	Prunes	125 to 200
Grapes (Raisin)	80 to 150	Strawberries	200 to 300
Grapes (Table)	75 to 150	Sugar Beets	40 to 75
Grapes (Wine)	90 to 150	Tomatoes	100 to 150

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Extensive construction work is being undertaken by the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company in connection with its enlarged blast furnace and steel capacity, and to provide for the necessary room for these improvements the company has been obliged to cut out a new river channel for the Mahoning river.

The contracts have been let to cut a new channel, which will divert the river away from property it now cuts off and bring the 80 acres within the mill site holdings, now in use. Following this work, additional mills will be erected on the property, and give this rapidly expanding company a larger tonnage output.

Patronize those who advertise.

Act Quickly

Don't wait until you have some ailment caused by poor digestion, biliousness, or by inactive bowels which may lead to a serious sickness. Immediate relief is afforded by that best corrective and preventive

BEECHAM'S PILLS

Sold everywhere. In boxes. 10c., 25c.

UGH! NOT CALOMEL, OIL OR SALTS, BUT DELICIOUS "SYRUP OF FIGS"

Give Your Stomach, Liver and 30 Feet of Bowels a Thorough Cleansing Without Gripe or Nausea. Ends Headache, Biliousness, Indigestion and Constipation.

This wonderful fruit laxative acts as a liver and bowel cleanser—tonic—not as an irritant. Its action is natural and gentle—no griping. It is delicious—no dreading. It is positive and prompt—no waiting.

If your stomach is sour and filled with vile gases, your head aches, or you are bilious, nervous, dizzy, half sick, your tongue coated, your thirty feet of bowels clogged with waste not properly carried off—don't wait. Surely take a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs to-night, and in the morning all constipated waste, sour bile, gases and poisons will move on and out of the system, gently but thoroughly—no griping—no nausea—no weakness. In the old days people let these matters run until they needed a large dose of physic, then they took something severe, like castor oil, salts or cathartics, that meant abuse to the bowels. These are the days of the gentle and natural—the days of Syrup of Figs. This way you fire not drugging yourself. Syrup of Figs being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics can not cause injury.

Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," and look for the name, California Fig Syrup Company on the label. This is the genuine—old reliable. Any other so-called Fig Syrup is an imitation often meant to deceive you. Refuse such with contempt.—Advertisement.

AT GETTY'S
Wall Paper Store

115 S. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.,

You have a large selection of papers at, per single roll 4c

A selection of beautiful bed room papers, silks and flats, with cut out borders, per single roll... 10c

Crown hangings, per single roll..... 15c

Conventional patterns, independent side walls, per single roll 10c

Scotch Fastolite, plain oatmeal, per single roll 15c

We have a good selection of borders and decorations to match the plain oatmeals.

Varnished tiles, printed by the engraved process, per single roll..... 15c

Many of my papers this season are printed by the engraved process, which gives beauty and a soft richness to the design which far surpasses the block printing process.

Varnish Stains, 40c quart, 25c pint, 15c half pint.

Imitation Stained Glass, 20 patterns. Ask to see them.

PICTURE FRAMING AT LESS THAN THE USUAL PRICES CHARGED.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, March 6.—E. P. Clifton and A. S. Pollak were transacting business in Youngstown yesterday.

Mrs. George Penn of McKeesport, has returned home, after a several days' visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Shallenberger.

The Vanderbilt people who were at Washington attending the inauguration have returned home.

John Popovich and O. R. Carpenter of Connellsville, were business callers here yesterday.

Quite a number of children in town have the measles. Sixteen children were sent home from school on Monday and several cases have been reported since.

John Blair has returned home, after a few days' visit with his parents in Connellsville.

Ailing Skin

Eczema, Psoriasis, Dandruff, Pimples, skin troubles of any kind—WASH THEM AWAY with

D. D. D. Prescription for Eczema

This mild wash will bring you instant relief from that awful itch. Prove it with a 60c bottle. We guarantee the regular $1.00 size bottle to end your distress and begin your cure or your money back. D.D.D. Soap helps, too; ask us.

J. C. Moore, Druggist, West Penn Pharmacy, Graham & Co., Connellsville. J. C. Stoutter, Druggist, Scottdale.

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THE CABINET.

After a great deal of dark mystery and lost motion, President Wilson has announced his Cabinet, which has been duly confirmed by the Senate; and the fact develops that it wasn't so much of a secret after all. Of course none of the Cabinet officers told, but perhaps some of their wives did.

The general complexion of the Cabinet indicates that the President finds it impossible at the very outset of his administration to live up to the ideals so pleasingly pictured in his inaugural address. His ministers have not been appointed altogether for their fitness. Friendships have been rewarded, political debts repaid and the exigencies of politics conserved in the formation of the Cabinet.

As was expected, William Jennings Bryan, the Peerless Baltimore Boss, is given the place of honor. The Secretary of State is the Premier of the Cabinet and the closest official adviser of the President. Bryan's appointment was coming to him by every consideration of personal gratitude. He more than any other man made Wilson the Democratic candidate in the fact of the fact that a decided majority of the Baltimore convention actually and repeatedly voted for Clark and in the teeth of a record which says that no later than 1908 Wilson expressed the hope that Bryan's political career might be "knocked into a cocked hat." Colonel Bryan is new to diplomacy, but if it consists in talking much and saying little perhaps the Peerless Orator will make an ideal diplomat.

Franklin K. Lane of California and James C. Reynolds of New York have seen service under President Roosevelt, the former in the Interstate Commerce Commission and the latter in the Department of Justice. Both are strong men who have proven their worth under a Republican administration.

The Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce are both New York men who have been prominently identified with the Money Devil and the Tribe of Trusts. It is evident that the President is not going to cut loose from business or business centers. New York has three members of the Cabinet, and one of them, Secretary McAdoo, is the reputed close friend of the House of Morgan, the head and front of the alleged Money Trust.

Pennsylvania has one member of the Cabinet in the person of William B. Wilson, Secretary of Labor, a new office just created at the close of the late Congress and assented to by retiring President Taft, as a matter of courtesy to the incoming Executive, with an intimation that this Cabinet office is unnecessary. It is certainly not the most important portfolio. Pennsylvania has been practically ignored in the composition of the Cabinet, yet to Pennsylvania, more than to any other State President Wilson owes his nomination.

As a Cabinet-maker, President Wilson has been rather crude, and it is not a matter of much wonder that he has promptly closed the Open Door of the White House and announced that he will not see office-seekers save by his own appointment. Many will be chosen but few will be called. Applicants are invited to tell their troubles to the heads of departments. The latter have not yet delegated that duty to their head clerks, but that will all come in due time, that is to say after the novelty has worn off.

And after the Government service has been restored to the hands of a reformed Democratic party, materially and morally uplifted and strengthened, it will probably be found that the service is not any better than it was before, but rather a little less efficient.

Reform-for-office-only always concludes in the same old way.

The News undertakes to question the statement that the editor of The Courier "never applied for and never held any office of profit in or under any political party." This statement is quite correct. The editor of The Courier may have had ambitions, but he never went so far as to put them in the form of applications. Many things which he did do thirty years ago while he was a Democrat he is now trying to forget along with the other errors of youth and inexperience. Besides, like the flowers that bloom in the spring, they have nothing to do with the case. The question is, Who will be the Democratic Postmaster of Connellsville?

Democrats who visited Washington with applications for office in their pockets have been given to understand that the inauguration was a big show, not a show down.

President Wilson gave the Open Door a terrific slam and pulled the latchstring inside.

Political passengers who traveled to Washington found that the Back to Baltimore song was not as popular as they had supposed.

There is much speculation as to whether it will be a Wilson or a Bryan administration. Colonel Bryan is close to the Executive Chair, but he is not on it.

Somerset wants a speedway to Johnstown so that the Progressive interests of the new Congressional district can keep in close touch with each other.

Harry Thaw still has Jerome at his heels.

The Cambria Steel Company will spend upwards of six millions of dollars in betterments. The new management is progressive and Johnstown is lucky to have such a going and growing industry.

A Republican President and a Republican Congress created the Bureau of Mines and placed a Democrat at the head of it to show its non-partisan character. The example is a good one for the Democrats.

The Fayette county doctors visited Brownsville in a body the other day. The old town ought to feel better.

Company D is back to the mines from its brilliant Washington campaign.

The secret sessions of the Chamber of Commerce have a wireless leak.

The business man who omits his advertising from the paper for a week or two because he thinks that by so doing he is saving money is as unwise as the merchant who would close his store on certain days because business was dull.

Seeing Washington is dangerous business.

Senator John Wesley Kern has been chosen Democratic leader of the Senate. His whiskers will wave more horizontally in the air than ever.

A little newspaper advertising is a good thing. More newspaper advertising is better.

The Suffragettes who complain so bitterly of their treatment at the Inauguration will kindly tell their troubles to the Democrats. This was not a Republican celebration.

How You Can Be An Easy Talker

By John P. Fallon.

Doubtless you have often envied the man or woman to whom talking seems so easy, especially if you find it hard to start a conversation.

You can make this art yours. THE COURIER will help you. Read its pages closely and constantly. You will find a hundred subjects for conversation—the affairs of the nations, great philanthropies, news of literature, art, and sport.

You will always be well informed, for the newest is ever presented in THE COURIER.

Then there are the advertisements. Everybody is interested in them—especially when the cost of living still soars. They contain the latest merchandise news from the most reliable merchants in Connellsville.

Read THE COURIER closely and constantly every day and you will never be at a loss for interesting conversation. Read its advertisements every day and you will always be posted on where to purchase to best advantage.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

One Cent a Word.

No Advertisement for Less Than 15 Cents.

Wanted.

WANTED—LABORERS AT NEW Round House, Dickerson Run; $2.00 per day. 3marltd

WANTED—TO LOAN $500 TO $10,000 on first mortgages. CHARLES M. EVANS. 6jantfd

WANTED—FIREMAN FOR NIGHT work. State experience and references. Address P. O. BOX 707, Connellsville, Pa. 5mar2td

WANTED—AT THE OLIVER COKE plants Nos. 1, 2, 3, coal miners and coke drawers. Apply to foreman of the respective plants. 3mar5td

WANTED—CARPENTER AND FURniture repairing. Builder of porch swings and screens. R. W. STANTON, 112 North Mountain Alley. 6mar1td*

WANTED—BY COUPLE WITH little girl, one or two furnished rooms. Must be clean and well furnished. Address "M," care The Courier. 6mar1td

WANTED—AGENTS TO CANVASS, middle aged preferred. Salary or commission. Apply to PITTSBURG CLOTHING HOUSE, opposite Wyman Hotel, Second floor. 4mar1td

For Rent.

FOR RENT—HOUSES. J. A. MASON, Second National Bank building. 8octtf

FOR RENT—MODERN HOUSES Inquire KAUL'S BANK. 20febtfd

FOR RENT—HOUSES INQUIRE PAUL B. DICK, Title & Trust Bldg. 26febtfd

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM Apply 211 EAST MAIN STREET. 4mar6td

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM. Apartment 4, Opposite Wyman Hotel. 5martfd

FOR RENT—THREE UNFURNISHrooms and bath, 317 N. PITTSBURG STREET. 4mar3td*

FOR RENT—APARTMENTS WITH every convenience. ROBINSON AND COUGHANOUR. 15novtfd

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE ON Tenth street. All modern conveniences. TRI-STATE PHONE 737. 6mar5td

FOR RENT—OFFICE AND WORK shop, 311 South Pittsburg street. Inquire at LUTEMAN'S STORE. 4martfd

FOR RENT—SIX ROOM HOUSE with bath, $18.00 per month. Apply HARVEY SILCOX'S MEAT MARKET. 5mar3td

FOR RENT—FIVE ROOM HOUSE IN South Connellsville, $10 per month. Apply JOHN RUBY, Allegheny avenue, South Connellsville. 6mar3td*

FOR RENT—TWO HOUSES ON Trump avenue, each five rooms with bath, cellar and basement. CONNELLSVILLE CONSTRUCTION CO. 4mar3tood

FOR RENT—MORGANTOWN STORE room, 25x110, new building; business centre; Main street; large show windows, thoroughly modern throughout. Fine chance for right party. Act quickly. BOX 353, Morgantown, W. Va. 1mar3td.

NOT WORTH THE BLOODSHED.

For Sale.

FOR SALE—BEST CUSTOM COAL prices reasonable. TRI-STATE 445. 21febtfd

FOR SALE—EIGHT ROOM FRAME house, modern throughout. Inquire at 210 W. GREEN or SARAH ROBINSON. 5martfd

FOR SALE—TWO BUILDING LOTS. East Murphy avenue. Cheap to quick buyer. Inquire A. CUNEO, 154 W. Main street. 25febtfd

FOR SALE—FIVE SHARES YOUGH Brewing Company stock. Make offer in your reply. Address "STOCK," care The Courier. 1martfd*

FOR SALE—A LIBRARY OF THE World's Best Literature, consisting of forty-six volumes. Will sell cheap. Call 193 BELL PHONE. 5martfd*

FOR SALE—5,000 ACRES OR ANY part of Pittsburg or 9 foot seam of coal in Greene county, Penna. Address 50 BEESON AVENUE, Uniontown, Pa. 3mar3t6marw

FOR SALE—BARRED PLYMOUTH Rock eggs. Good winter layers. Seventeen hens laid 273 eggs during January. Fifteen eggs for $1.00. WM. W. MURRIE, Bell Phone 511. mar6-8-10d-mar13w*

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT ON Southwest corner of Green and Vine streets. Half down; balance on easy terms. See your broker or W. W. ROBINSON, 129 South Pittsburg street. 20junethu-frt-tfd

FOR SALE—DUSLANE ESTATE, lying between Fayette street and Witter avenue, consisting of 12 lots and 8-room brick house, for $18,000.00. One-third cash and balance to suit purchaser. E. P. DeWITT, Bell 288, Scottdale, Pa. 6mar2td

Divorce Notice.

Lee Smith, Attorney.

ERNEST L. ANDREWS VS. ADDIE Trax Andrews, in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No. 294 December Term, 1912. To Addie Trax Andrews, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., on the second Monday of April of said Court, A. D., 1913, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. MART A. KIEFER, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, March 3, 1913. 6-13-20-27mar

Divorce Notice.

Robinson and McKean, Attorneys.

MARY H. HASTINGS VS. GEORGE D. Hastings, in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No. 364 December Term, 1912. To George D. Hastings, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., on the first Monday of April of said Court, A. D., 1913, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. MART A. KIEFER, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, March 3, 1913. 6-13-20-27mar

Divorce Notice.

L. B. Brownfield, Attorney.

CATHERINE NAGY VS. CHARLES Nagy, in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., No. 66 December Term, 1912. To Charles Nagy, respondent, you are hereby notified that the subpoena and alias subpoena in this case have been returned "Non est inventus," you are therefore required to appear in the Court of Common Pleas of Fayette county, Pa., on the first Monday of April of said Court, A. D., 1913, to answer the libel and complaint filed therein, and show cause, if any you have, why a divorce from the bonds of matrimony should not be granted the libellant above named. MART A. KIEFER, Sheriff. Sheriff's Office, March 3, 1913. 6-13-20-27mar

Notice.

NOTICE.—THE YOUGH NATIONAL BANK, located at CONNELLSVILLE, in the STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA is closing up its affairs. All note-holders and others, creditors of said association, are hereby notified to present the notes and other claims against the association for payment. E. R. FLOTO, Cashier. Dated at Connellsville, Pa., March 3, 1913. 6mar00d

Charter Notice.

George C. Bradshaw, Attorney-at-Law, 708 Bank for Savings Building, Pittsburg, Pa.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Governor of Pennsylvania on Monday, March 24, 1913, by J. S. Munroe, L. C. Lamb, and W. B. Crawford, under the Act of Assembly entitled "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called "NORTH UNION TOWNSHIP ELECTRIC COMPANY," the character and object of which is the manufacture and supply of light, heat and power, or any of them, by electricity to the public of the Township of North Union, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, and to such persons, partnerships, corporations and associations, residing therein or adjacent thereto, as may desire the same, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and the supplements thereto.

GEORGE C. BRADSHAW, Solicitor, 708 Bank for Saving Building, Pittsburg, Pa. feb27d-13mar

Administrator's Notice.

H. G. May, Attorney.

ESTATE OF ARTHUR BAILER, late of Bullskin Township, Fayette County, Pennsylvania, deceased. Letters of administration on the above named estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and to those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. JACOB S. GARLITTS, Administrator. P. O. Address, Connellsville, Pa. feb27mar6-13-20-27apr3

READ THE COURIER.

WEAR Horner's Clothing

Ladies High Grade Shoe Sale Now Going on

$2.65

Only a few days left and we want to impress upon the women of Connellsville that this is an opportunity daily slipping away.

There are odds and ends left over from our winter stock of Queen Quality's, Zeigler Brothers' and Edwin C. Burt's. They consist of nearly all leathers sold, and styles likewise.

This sale will close Saturday Night, March 8. The price, $2.65.

Down's Shoe Store

Minor's Easy Shoes For Women

If your feet are tender—if you have corns or bunions—they'll give you more solid satisfaction than any shoe you've ever worn.

They are made with flexible turned soles. The uppers are of soft, velvety kid, easy, but nice shaped toes; sensible heels.

LACE **$2.50** BUTTON

HOOPER & LONG,

104 West Main Street.

The Young Girls Opportunity.

Junior Suits

At Only $10.00

Good Stylish Tailored Garments

Here is a rare opportunity for young ladies from 13 to 17 years of age to secure an up-to-date thoroughly tailored two-piece suit at a minimum outlay. Made of good quality worsted in brown, blue and tan, with fancy collars and cuffs, trimmed with straps and buttons and nicely lined with a good quality of satin lining. The graceful style and fit of these garments show evidence of careful and thorough tailoring and are ideal for school or Sunday wear. Sizes from 13 to 17 years at only.....$10.00

New Linings for Spring.

In our department of cotton linings can be found materials to match most every shade of goods desired. In this department will be found a big assortment of colors in our best quality at 40c. Plain satines in all colors and permanent finish, 25c. Percalines in a good variety of shades at 15c and fine satines at 15c, 20c and 25c, for linings, shirtings, petticoats and other uses. A very complete line.

New Hosiery Here

Our reputation for the best place to buy Hose will be continued by the big shipment we have just received. The biggest values to be found anywhere in black, tan and white at 25c. A special medium and light weight three for $1.00 stocking, silk and gauze lisle stockings in black, white and tan as well as a good silk stocking with lisle top and foot at 50c. A good $1.00 silk stocking with lisle sole and a heavy all silk stocking at $1.50. Also, several numbers out sizes at 25c and black and white at 50c.

Children's Hose in white and colors—a fine lisle in all sizes at 25c, colored sox at 25c and two specially good values in a medium and heavy weight ribbed for boys and girls in all sizes, at 25c. You'll be satisfied if you buy your stockings here.

E. DUNN

N. PITTSBURG St. CONNELLSVILLE.

IF YOU WANT ANYTHING TRY OUR CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ask the man who buys from a Union Supply Co. Store

What kind of goods he gets; what kind of treatment he gets; what kind of service he gets. Ask him especially about the quality of the goods and about our prices. He will tell you our stock in every department, from groceries and meats to furniture and clothing, is the best that the markets afford, and he will tell you that our prices are lower than any legitimate competition. Ask him about the service, the treatment, the conveniences, and he will tell you they cannot be excelled, and he is telling you the truth. If you don't want to take the word of the man who buys there, investigate yourself; compare our prices; compare the quality of our goods, and compare the prices at any time during the year with our neighboring merchants; our opposition merchants, or merchants anywhere throughout Pennsyvania, and you will find that the man's statements are correct.

UNION SUPPLY CO.

63 LARGE DEPARTMENT STORES

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

FINE COUNTRY HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING A TOWNSHIP FEATURE

Mount Pleasant Country School Directors Prove to Be Progressive.

SCOTTDALE MAN IS PRINCIPAL

Country Boys and Girls Given Equal or Better Educational Facilities Than Those of Town, and With Approved Course of Study Adopted.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTTDALE, March 6.—To give the country boy and girl educational advantages equal to or better than the town boy or girl is the aim of the *Board of School Directors of Mount* Pleasant township, of whose High School Hubert C. Eicher of Scottdale is the principal. The people of that progressive township will dedicate their *new High School building tomorrow* evening, and they have every reason for feeling proud over the possession of one of the best and most modernly equipped school buildings in the State, as well as having a course of study that ranks with the best. Principal Eicher has been working very hard, both in arranging the course of study, as well as in superintending many details of the building, with the cooperation of a live set of directors and the dedication exercises are important ones.

A visit to the new school building will occasion a feeling of surprise with many when they view the plans worked out and the perfection of equipment, and the self sustaining and independent character of the building. It is truly what a school house should be "a power house of knowledge."

The program to be carried out on Friday evening will be as follows: Music, High School orchestra; introduction, Principal Hubert C. Eicher; Music, High School Chorus; solo, Helen Kromer, Second Year; Music, High School orchestra; solo, Zella Casey, Second Year; solo, Robert R. Eaton, Second Year; recitation, Florence Welty, Fourth Year; duet, Jean Ramsay, Fourth Year and Martha Breechbill, Third Year; solo, Edythe McMurray, Fourth Year; Music, High School orchestra; address, Prof. Robert C. Shaw, County Superintendent; music, High School Chorus, and the inspection of the building.

The progressive Directors, whose names will be linked with this creditable school plant, are: William L. Johnson, President; H. A. Fisher, Vice President; Dr. A. A. Beacom, Secretary, C. A. Abbott, Treasurer; John H. Britt, Isaac Sherrick and T. A. Marsteller.

The faculty consists of Hubert C. Eicher, B. Sc., Principal; Nelle L. Byers, A. B., Assistant Principal; Lloyd P. Humbaugh, A. B., P. G. Patterson, M. P., Florence W. Mohr and A. D. Vetock. Albert F. Kemp is the custodian of the building.

The school musical organizations which take part are made up as follows: High School Orchestra, Leon Rinehart, Director, violin, third year; William McMurray, cornet, first year; Martha Breechbill, piano, third year, and Joseph Tobisch, drums, second year. The Glee Club has the following members: Leon Rinehart, Robert Eaton, William McMurray, Colonel Hubbs, Florence Welty, Edythe McMurray, Helen Kromer, Zella Casey and Tillie McMurray.

The exercises will take place in the auditorium, one of the most completely equipped ones anywhere, with a large stage, proscenium arch, drop curtain, 700 opera chairs and lighted with over 100 electric bulbs, connected with the individual electric lighting system installed by the school.

Besides the handsome auditorium the building has a library, directors' room, commercial department, chemical laboratory, physical laboratory, grade department, Latin and German department, history and English department, science room and mechanical drawing room, mathematics room, study hall, private office, power plant, engine room, furnace room, girls' cloak room, public office, boys' cloak room, teachers supply and auditors' room, store room, High School supply room, lunch room, coal room, fan engine room and fan room. The equipment is the very latest and approved. The labor forces are fitted as well as those of the majority of colleges.

The academic curriculum embraces in the First year: Algebra (5), Physical Geography, Ancient History, Latin or German (1) (5) and English. The Second year: Algebra (5), Latin or German 5, Mediæval and modern history, Agriculture and English. The Third year: Plane Geometry 5, Latin or German, 1, 5; Chemistry, English History and English. The Fourth year: Solid Geometry and Trigonometry or Advanced Drawing or Advanced Algebra, Constitutional History or Drawing, Latin 4, or German 2, 5; Physics 5, and English. This course was approved by the State Department, Harrisburg, on July 23, 1912.

One of the progressive features is the *Commercial department*, presenting to the students a thorough explanation and illustration of the fundamental principles of business, and to fit him for business pursuits. The course covers four years of nine months each, with real business practise.

The total enrollment of the High School is 91. The members of the Senior class are James W. Dryden, President; Margaret A. Conlin, Vice President; Florence Welty, Secretary; Helen M. Ramsey, Treasurer, and Edythe M. McMurray and Florinda H. Hawk.

The roll of the Junior class is as follows: Edgar Hunter, President; Wade Lemmon, Vice President; Ethel Grigor, Secretary; Mary Jeffrey, Treasurer; Maude Snyder, Leon Rinehart, Martha Breechbill, William Adams, Hettie Fisher, Frank Burian, Earl Cramer, Elizabeth Holdsworth, Tillie McMurray, Robert Eaton, Martha Hontz, McKinley Kuhns, Katherine Kearney, Ronald Smith, Mae Kearns, Luella Springer, Bridget Keating.

The Sophomore class is made up of J. Bryson Marsteller, President; John Motsey, Vice President; Zella Casey, Secretary; Wade Marks, Treasurer; Lawrence Bowden, Ethel Baker, Albert Grimm, Mary Downs, Carl Grimm, Gladys Grigor, Luther Hawk, Agnes Jeffrey, Emmons Immel, Margaret Jeffrey, Frank Lee, Helen Kromer, Joseph Tobasch, Hazel Miller, Laura Miller, Emma Snyder, Pauline Sauerwein, Martha Scott.

The members of the Freshman class are: Eli Kulp, President; Samuel Fisher, Vice President; Edna Griffin, Secretary; Jean Ramsey, Assistant Secretary; Lena Heinzman, Treasurer; John Bechtel, Christian Blain, James Dillon, Isabella Elsbury, Marion Eicher, Ruth Hunter, Edward Eicher, Sadie Lemmon, John Griffith, Margaret Laird, Harold Hubbs, Hilda Newell, Sylvester Holmes, Hazel Ramsey, Albert Hunter, Jane Smith, Stephen Hardy, George Hyde, Eulalia Shultz, Walter Hails, Margaret Teagar, George Kuhn, Margaret Tunality, William Love, Jeannette Trout, Robert Love, Sylvester Lowther, William McMurray, John Novak, Scott Niederheiser, Charles Spirko, Walter Kuhn, Ralph Kromer, Helen Grigor.

Colonel Hubbs is a post graduate student in science and Clyde Porterfield a special student in mechanical drawing.

Don't Poison Baby.

FORTY YEARS AGO almost every mother thought her child must have PAREGORIC or laudanum to make it sleep. These drugs will produce sleep, and a FEW DROPS TOO MANY will produce the SLEEP FROM WHICH THERE IS NO WAKING. Many are the children who have been killed or whose health has been ruined for life by paregoric, laudanum and morphine, each of which is a narcotic product of opium. Druggists are prohibited from selling either of the narcotics named to children at all, or to anybody without labelling them "poison." The definition of "narcotic" is: "*A medicine which relieves pain and produces sleep, but which in poisonous doses produces stupor, coma, convulsions and death.*" The taste and smell of medicines containing opium are disguised, and sold under the names of "Drops," "Cordials," "Soothing Syrups," etc. You should not permit any medicine to be given to your children without you or your physician know of what it is composed. CASTORIA DOES NOT CONTAIN NARCOTICS, if it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher.

Genuine Castoria always bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

MOUNT PLEASANT.

MOUNT PLEASANT, March 6.—The Ladies' Missionary Society of the United Presbyterian church held their regular monthly meeting at the home of *Mrs. Snyder*. The subject was "China," and the meeting was led by Miss Alice Warden. Papers were read by Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. R. E. Fulton, Mrs. Lawrence Pfoadt and Miss Alice Warden. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant social hour was spent.

The annual meeting of the Foreign Missionary Society of the Reunion Presbyterian church was held at the Church street home of Mrs. Anna Andrews yesterday. The election of officers was held and Mrs. F. L. Marsh was re-elected President and enjoys the distinction of having been elected their President nearly twenty-five years ago, and at each election has been re-elected. Mrs. Sevilla McAfee was elected Vice President and Mrs. D. H. Stoner, Secretary. Mrs. Vinnie Mechling was elected Treasurer; Miss Annie Smith, Busy Band Leader; Mrs. W. C. Murphy, Collector; Mrs. Walter Smith, Secretary of Literature; Miss Sevilla McAfee, Secretary of Temperance. The subject of the meeting was "Churches in Japan." Miss Lena Marsh read a paper and short discussions of the subject occupied the rest of the afternoon. A very nice dinner was served and following this was the usual social hour.

Thomas Goncarczyk, 48 years old, died at his home at Alice mines yesterday. Funeral services will be held at the polish church and interment will be made in the Polish cemetery.

The case of George Larimer, who had sued J. G. Thompson for $3,000, came up before Judge Doty at Greensburg yesterday and was non suited.

Mrs. Catherine Lopus of Stauffer, was calling on friends here yesterday.

T. W. Lyons of Canonsburg, was a caller in town yesterday.

W. J. Heltz of Hecla, was a caller in town yesterday.

Arthur Brown went to Pittsburg yesterday to spend the rest of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Miller, Sr., returned yesterday from a visit paid their daughter, Mrs. Anna Dowart of Detroit, Mich.

Miss Florence Holmes is the guest of friends at Ronco.

Miss Anna Clouse is in Pittsburg learning the millinery trade.

Miss Mary Ida McGee was the guest of Pittsburg friends yesterday.

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DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, March 6.—J. T. Feather of Uniontown, was here Wednesday looking after business interests.

Miss Lida Reynolds was shopping in Connellsville today.

Miss Sadie Jobes was calling on friends in Scottdale, Wednesday.

The Caddis Adult Bible Class will hold their regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. L. S. Korchner.

Mrs. Clark Pope and Mrs. Samuel Speight of Bryson Hill, were shopping in Connellsville today.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Reynolds received cards from Washington from their son William of Uniontown, who was attending the inauguration.

J. T. Byers of Uniontown, was a business caller in town yesterday

C. W. McClelland of Connellsville, was transacting business here today.

Justin Wright of Uniontown, was a business caller here yesterday.

Robert Trimble, who represents the firm of L. H. Smith of Pittsburg, was transacting business here yesterday.

Harry Barricklow spent Wednesday here calling on relatives.

Frank P. Anderson and wife returned home from Washington, after attending the inauguration.

The children of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will have their Easter practise Friday evening at 4 o'clock instead of Junior League.

Miss Alice Vaughn spent Wednesday in Uniontown calling on friends.

H. H. Clark was in Pittsburg yesterday on a business mission.

MILL RUN.

MILL RUN, March 4.—Sigel Cox has moved his family to Stewarton.

S. M. Hutchinson is a business caller in Connellsville today.

Phillip Paul and Earl Shipley contemplate buying a gasoline traction engine and threshing machine.

Charles Bigan, while making props, came in contact with the saw, which inflicted an ugly wound in his limb above the ankle.

A. G. C. Sherbondy is in Washington, D. C. this week.

Prayer service at the home of Mrs. Rebecca Hawkins this afternoon.

Harry and William Bigan have finished their contract, making props for the Stewarton Lumber Company.

Mrs. A. E. Harbaugh was in Connellsville yesterday to see her son, William, who is ill of typhoid fever.

Samuel Whipkey has gone to Scottdale, where he is employed in the pipe mill.

William Marietta left for Pittsburg where he expects to take a course in telegraphy.

Read the Daily Courier.

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The balance of our entire stock of Furs, (mink excepted) at one-half price. There is a good assortment and this is really a wonderful opportunity.

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Ladies' Suits $10.00
$25, $35 and $40 suits, the balance of stocks, big lot of blacks and blues, including suits for stout women; also odd sizes, Friday, 3 hours only.....$10

29c Flouncings 19c.
17 inch Flouncings for corset covers and skirts, some with beading tops for running ribbon through, splendid assortment of French patterns, sells regularly at 29c. Friday, 9 to 12 only.....19c

$1.00 and $1.25 Kid Gloves 59c
Connellsville women know a bargain when they see it, so by request we'll put on sale again, from 9 to 12 only, $1 and $1.25 kid gloves, in black, tan and white 59c
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$22.50 Rugs $11.95.
Best quality blue ribbon velvet and 10 wire Tap rugs, 9x12 feet in size, come in beautiful line of patterns, embracing all the newest colorings; a rug noted for service and sold by us at $22.50. Friday, 9 to 12 only $11.95

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$4.00 Red Cross Ladies' Shoes $2.45.
One lot of broken sizes in Ladies' Red Cross Shoes in gun metal and patent leather. Button and blucher, $4 grade. Friday 3-hour sale $2.45

Ladies' Sample Shoes $1.69.
One lot of Ladies' sample shoes, in all leathers, sizes 2½, 3, 3½, 4, widths A, B, C, up to date styles, $3 and $4 values, Friday 3-hour sale only $1.69

Boys' $1.50 Shoes 98c.
Little Boys' gun metal blucher shoes, sewed soles, all solid leather, good school shoes, sizes 8 to 13, $1.50 value, 3 hours Friday only 98c

15c Hair Nets, 5 in Package, 7c.
The Smart Set invisible double mesh hair net, 5 in each package, worth 15c, Friday 9 to 12, only, per package 7c

Neck Pieces, Muffs, $1.50
Odd neck pieces and muffs, former prices $4.50 to $6.50. 3 hours only, Friday $1.50

15c Zephyr Ginghams 10½c.
Over 50 different patterns of fine zephyr ginghams that will make beautiful dresses, the best 15c values. Friday, 9 to 12 only 10½c

$3.00 Lace Curtains $1.95.
Lot of Lace Curtains in Irish Pointe, embracing a nice range of patterns, $3 value, Friday, 9 to 12, only $1.95

Men's 50c Underwear 35c
Fine combed Egyptian balbriggan shirts and drawers, medium weight, in all sizes, special 9 to 12 only 35c

Children's and Misses' Rain Caps, 39c.
Children's and Misses' Rain Caps, 69c values, 3 hours only 39c

Children's Coats 98c.
Children's Coats, sizes 2 to 14, former prices $2.25 to $4.75, 3 hours only Friday 98c

Children's Dresses 39c.
One lot of children's colored dresses, regular price $1 to $1.95, for 3 hours only 89c

Kimonos and Bath Robes 79c.
$1.50 to $2.50 fleece lined kimonos and bath robes, Friday, 3 hours 79c

25c Men's Hose 16c.
Men's fine cotton hose in black or colors, full fashioned, with double spliced heels and toes, Friday 9 to 12 .....16c

Ladies' 50c Vests and Pants 29c.
Ladies' fine ribbed vests and pants in cream and snow white, Friday, 9 to 12 only 29c

Ladies' 50c and 65c Union Suits 35c.
Ladies' fine Union suits, all sizes, medium weight, good values at 50c and 65c, Friday 9 to 12 only...35c

Men's 50c Negligee Shirts 29c.
New 50c dress shirts, made of percale, in choice stripes and figures, cuffs attached, sizes 14 to 17.

Bates' 12½c Dress Ginghams 9c.
50 pieces of new Bates' Dress Ginghams, Friday 9 to 12 only 9c

Boys' 50c Suits 31c.
Boys' fleeced suits, perfect fitting garments, best 50c suit, Friday 9 to 12 only 31c

22c Ribbons 15c.
Good quality corded taffeta hair ribbons, 5 inches wide, regular 22c kind, 9 to 12 Friday 15c

Infants' Sweaters 15c.
Small lot of Infant's Sweaters, slightly soiled, for 3 hours Friday...15c

Ladies' Dresses, $1.00.
Six dresses in serge, former prices $5 to $8.00. Friday only $1.00

Ladies' Suits $2.50.
Their former prices were $12.50 and $15. 3 hours only Friday..$2.50

Ladies' Rain Coats $1.59.
Ladies' Slip-on Rain Coats, 3 hours Friday only for $1.59

15c Ribbons 7c.
1½, 2 and 2½ inch Taffeta Ribbon, all colors, 9 to 12 only 7c

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At present in the neighborhood of 300 tons of the various sizes of crushed coke are being shipped, being disposed of through dealers for domestic consumption; the balance of the output of the plant is shipped to foundries and furnaces.

Canadian Steel Tariff.

The Canadian government has received an application from Canadian steel rail manufacturers for an order remitting duties on steel rails and fish plates imported from the United States for the use of the Grand Trunk Pacific and Canadian Pacific.

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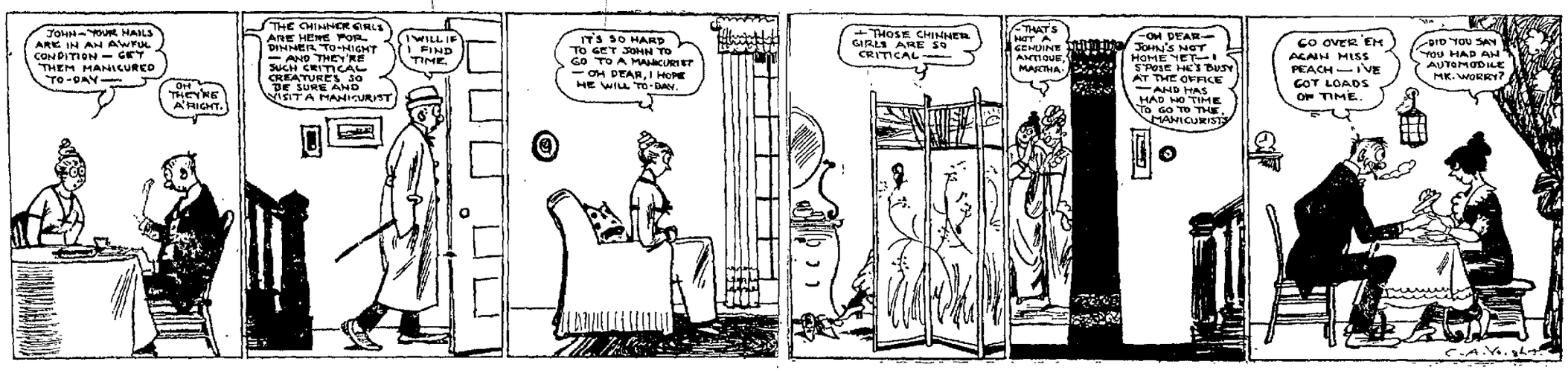

FURNACE COKE STANDS PAT AT $2.50 PER TON

Demand is Light but Market Has Backbone in Spite of

MATERIALLY ENLARGED OUTPUT

Foundry Coke Commands Wide Range of Prices Depending on Grade; *Early Buying Movement in Pig Iron May Further Improve Coke Trade.*

From The Weekly Courier.

PITTSBURG, March 5.—The coke market experienced a further stiffening in the closing days of last week, and this week is fully maintaining the strength then displayed. The market for furnace coke is squarely quotable on the basis of $2.50 for both prompt and contract, and it would be difficult to shade this price even fractionally for either delivery.

Demand has been light for both prompt and contract. Deliveries on contract seem to be fairly satisfactory all along the line, while practically all the present consumption is covered by contract, at least to July 1. For the second half there are many furnaces uncovered, as their contracts expire at mid-year, but such furnaces are not actively inquiring at this time.

It is now generally recognized that the production of coke in the Connellsville region has been materially greater in the past three weeks than the average of December and January, and the trade has been endeavoring to explain the fact that the production is so well taken when consumption has not materially increased, as shown by the fact that pig iron production is only a shade greater than 30 to 60 days ago. Two factors contribute to the heavier absorption of Connellsville coke, one being that several furnaces which are drawing upon their local piles have gone about as deeply into them as desired, and the other being that production of inferior cokes in certain outside regions has decreased. Such coke is taken only in emergencies. It is reported that considerable labor has moved from those regions into the Connellsville district. A feature of the labor situation which must soon be confronted is that extensive works on highways in and about the Connellsville region will be resumed next month, drawing out of the coke operations labor which went in late in the old year.

There is no doubt that coke operators have firmer ideas as to prices than they usually do when the market is quotable at $2.50 and at the same time is not active, and this probably grows out of the facts: (1) That they contemplate the price of $4 to which coke recently advanced when consumption was not as great as at present; (2) That they have a large tonnage sold on contract at much above the usual figure. To cut the market would be to disturb deliveries on contracts more or less and there is no incentive to squeeze out a little extra production if it is to be sold at prices below the contract average.

Some of the operators are mentioning $2.75 and even up to $2.90 as their idea as to contracts, but the market in its present position does not regard such quotations seriously, as contracts could probably be put through at about $2.50. A contract for 4,000 or 5,000 tons a month, March to June inclusive, is reported at a shade under $2.50, while another contract, for a slightly smaller tonnage, is rumored at $2.65, but this has not been confirmed on the basis of referring to ordinary standard coke.

Foundry coke is bringing a wide range of prices, depending on grade. Small lots, desired by particular customers, are bringing as high as $3.85 and $4 for prompt shipment, but the average standard coke goes for considerable less. Quotations below are advanced as to furnace coke but are unchanged as to foundry:

Prompt furnace	$2.50
Contract furnace	$2.50
Prompt foundry	$3.25@$3.50
Contract foundry	$3.00@$3.25

There are prospects of an early buying movement in Bessemer and basic iron, as some of the large steel works seem likely to be short of iron in the near futre. Their furnaces have had a hard campaign and at least two of the large steel interests are likely to have to blow out some furnaces for relining within a few weeks. Foundry iron, on the other hand, is dull and neglected, with prices sagging in all districts. The market is quotable as follows: Bessemer, $17.25; Basic, $16.25; No. 2 Foundry, $17; Forge, $16.50; Malleable, $17, f. o. b. Valley furnaces, 50 cents higher delivered Pittsburg.

The Bessemer and basic pig iron averages, compiled by W. P. Snyder & Company from the actual tonnage sales in the market, are announced for February at $17.25, Valley, for Bessemer and $16.317, Valley, for basic, against $17.25 for Bessemer and $16.45 for basic in January.

COKE PRICES AT PRINCIPAL POINTS OF CONSUMPTION

Demand is Steady and Prices Harder for Connellsville Coke, But Others are Weak.

From The Weekly Courier.

Reports from the principal points of consumption and distribution are very gratifying to the Connellsville operators. The demand for their product continues steady and there is a tendency to stiffer markets in spite of enlarged production. Cokes from other regions and by-product cokes for domestic consumption are weaker.

At Chicago, Connellsville foundry coke is quoted at $5.75@6.00 delivered, equivalent to $3.25@3.50 ovens. Sales of furnaces coke as low as $2.25 are reported, but details are not given, and it is thought that the lot was off-grade or small in quantity and sold under pressure. The ruling price is $5.00 delivered. Wise county coke is quoted at same prices.

At Saint Louis the market is dull, but prices are firm at $2.50@2.75 ovens for Connellsville furnace coke and $3.25 for foundry. Virginia cokes are quoted on same basis. Domestic coke reported very slow.

At Cleveland, the market is not strong for furnace coke, but foundries are buying limited quantities. Stocks are low. Connellsville furnace coke is said to have been sold last week at less than $2.50 ovens, but it is firm at this figure now. Connellsville foundry, however, is quoted at $3.50@3.75.

At Cincinnati, the demand for Connellsville furnace and foundry coke is full and steady at the ruling rates. The Wise county, Pocahontas and New River cokes have adjusted themselves to the lower rates. Sales of Wise county furnace are reported at $2.35 ovens. Domestic cokes are at low ebb.

At Baltimore, a strong demand for both Connellsville and West Virginia cokes is reported.

At Birmingham, the coke market remains unchanged, although competition with Virginia producers is keen in some districts. The abnormal Virginia coke market during the past several months has enabled the Alabama producers to cover a broader territory and has been a source of strength to the local trade.

To Rebuild Foundry.

Foundation work is to be started in a short time for a new modern foundry building for Yost Brothers, of Hite Station, near Tarentum. The concern lost its plant a few weeks ago by fire, and contracts have already been awarded for the reconstruction of the entire plant on a larger plane and with increased capacity. The construction and equipment of the plant is expected to be completed by May 1.

Goes to Pittsburg.

Arthur G. Trimble of Scottdale has resigned from the office force of the United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Company at that place to become traffic manager for the Whitney Kemmerer Company.

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Two Recent Explosions Traced to Improper Care of Them.

Two disasters have occurred within recent months due to certain defects in miners' safety lamps. The lamps were of the modern naphtha or gasoline burning type with double gauze, shield and glass globe. Each lamp caused ignition of gas within a mine; in one case a dozen men were killed, and in the other case several men were burned.

The first explosion resulted from the parts of the lamp being improperly assembled, the top asbestos gasket being doubled upon itself, so that a part of the glass was not in contact with the gasket, and an open space was left between the top of the glass and the gauze. When this lighted lamp was inserted into an explosive mixture of gas and air, the gas flamed within the lamp and ignited the gaseous mixture outside.

The second explosion also resulted from a lamp being improperly assembled. In this case the pull bar which operates the scratcher for igniting the match that lights the wick was left out of the lamp. The lamp when lighted and placed in an explosive mixture of air and gas in every case ignited the gaseous mixture outside of the lamp.

A number of miners' safety lamps have been found in use in gaseous mines with the pull bar removed. To remove the pull bar is a most dangerous practice, and should not be allowed, since it renders the lamp as dangerous as an open-flame lamp.

At one mine where safety lamps with magnetic locks are used, fine holes were detected in the bases of several lamps. These holes had been drilled so that the lamps could be opened in the mine by the use of a pin or needle, thus nullifying the safety valve of the magnetic locks.

Lamps should be carefully examined when they are turned in at the end of a shift, as well as when they are given out, in order that the miner or other employe may be held accountable for any alteration or damage to his lamp.

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MERGER FAILS

LaBelle-Phillips Combination Said to Have Failed.

The proposed merger of a number of independent tin plate plants and sheet mills with bar mills and furnaces, which included the names of the LaBelle, Phillips and other important merchant interests, seems to have failed.

The Phillips interest has publicly announced that this company will not enter the proposed merger, and advices from New York, where the matter was being promoted the merger is very doubtful because of the inability of the promoters and some of the companies to come to terms.

In trade circles the announcement of the Phillips company is taken to mean that the deal has failed.

COAL AND OIL REPORT

Geological Survey Issues Annual Publication on Subject.

An annual publication covering a wide field of scientific economic investigation of the occurrences of metals and mineral fuels the "Contributions to Economic Geology" of the United States Geological Survey. This publication is issued in two volues, Part I treating of metals and Part II of coal lignite, petroleum, and natural gas. Part II of this publication for 1910 has just been issued by the Survey as Bulletin 471 and comprises 663 pages.

It contains 27 chapters, seven of them relating to oil and gas in Kentucky, Alabama, Wyoming and Utah, and 20 relating to coal and lignite fields in North Carolina, North Dakota, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, New Mexico and Utah. A copy of the bulletin may be obtained free on application to the Director of the Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

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Office of Comptroller of the Currency.
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WHEREAS, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that "THE YOUGH NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE" in the Borough of Connellsville in the County of Fayette and State of Pennsylvania, has complied with all the provisions of the Act of Congress "to enable National Banking Associations to extend their corporate existence, and for other purposes," approved July 12, 1882;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Thomas P. Kane, Deputy and Acting Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "THE YOUGH NATIONAL BANK OF CONNELLSVILLE" in the Borough of Connellsville, in the County of Fayette and State of Pennsylvania is authorized to have succession for the period specified in its amended articles of association: namely, until close of business on February 9, 1933.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my hand and Seal of office this Tenth day of February, 1913.

T. P. KANE,
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CHAPTER XII.

The Ascent.

Rising for three hundred feet as straight up as the side of one of the loftiest skyscrapers built by man the cliffs arose, split from the mountain top by the wedges of the lightnings and guarding the summit by walls of almost absolute perpendicularity. In that hunt of the past he had seen a sheep upon the summit, and therefore knew that there must be a trail leading to the top despite the fact that it was classed as inaccessible to human foot. Determined, therefore, that he should be the first human to tread its top, for miles he had worked his way about it with keenly searching eyes as he sought for the place where the first step must be made if he would attempt the ascent, found it at last, desperate and scanty to the extreme yet barely possible to one of much activity and steadiness. And with little regard for probable consequences he had undertaken it. It had been a supreme test of nerves and poise, but he had conquered it at last, reached the desolate, boulder haunted plateau and killed his sheep, and then had sat for hours upon the sheer edge as he nerved himself for what seemed a descent impossible to human being except at the expense of life or splintered bones. Yet having come up he must go down, and down he eventually and safely arrived—though great good fortune attended him—and at last had stood beside the broken body of his kill which he had been obliged to tumble bodily from the height. That awful ascent and descent had ever since haunted him as an evil dream, a thing not to be attempted again for all the wealth of the world, but now with the woman he loved borne there in the loathsome embrace of that arch enemy of all mankind he sought for the suicidal path again with straining eagerness. Of March lying inert back there upon the rocks where his bullet had felled him he gave scarcely a thought. Obsessed by the idea that he alone could save the woman he sought, he would have regardlessly slain anything, man or beast, that he imagined might in any way impede his progress.

Before him there lay a narrow shelf leading upward for a score of feet, broken, insecure and seeming to end in nothing but the blank wall itself, but he recognized it instantly and stepped upon it. Arms extended, flattening himself against the rock as a leech clings, he felt his way upward with infinite caution, his fingers gripping each tiny crevass with the tenacity of the tentacles of a squid. He reached the end of the narrow shelf and there balanced precariously upon six inches of outcropping, cast his glance cautiously upward and about. Several feet to the right was another foothold equally insecure, but leading upward again, and with the care with which one treads a taut wire he placed his foot upon it, found a shallow finger hold in the cliff and raised himself. For fifty feet more he climbed as a fly scales a wall, perilled his life upon the two-inch support of a jutting point, mounted again with the superhuman cunning and strength of the insane and at the end of a half hour's well nigh miraculous effort found for the first time during the ascent a shelf large enough to rest upon. He was half way up now, and with a hundred and fifty feet of beetling cliff above and as much empty space below he sat down for a moment's heavy breathing.

Through his disordered mind there ran riot a strange medley of the real and the unreal. Well enough he knew that he was scaling this height to save the woman whom he loved, yet he now conceived the Flying Man to be of the supernatural, a winged monster of the inaccessible cliffs, a dragon of the noisome caverns that lay beneath the gorges, and that he was the knight chosen from all others because of his superior strength and valor to go forth and slay him at the portals of his rock bound domain. Well, slay him he would beyond the shadow of a doubt, but already the sun was getting low, the climb was still long and desperate and he must be on his way lest night and certain death should overtake him flattened against the blank wall of the dragon's castle. Once more he cautiously arose to resume his efforts.

He scanned the cliff. Just above his head was another projection which promised a foothold could he but reach it, and burying his fingers in a crack and finding an inch wide support for his foot he drew himself slowly upward. The slightest slip of hand or foot meant instant death now, and his fingers gripped the stone until they grew white and bloodless from the strain. Slowly he raised himself, found another grip and another tiny support and with an effort that sent the blood surging to his temples brought himself gasping one notch higher. Here again the ascent became a trifle less precarious for a ways, and another half-hour found him within a few feet of the summit. Here of all places during the ascent he came the nearest to plunging the whole distance to the rocks below, but a last desperate struggle saved him and weak and trembling from the supreme effort he threw himself down safely over the edge. For a moment he rested, then cautiously arose and looked about.

Upon a far distant western peak the sun was balanced like a broad gold coin poised delicately. Its horizontal rays swept the plateau upon which he stood, but of the beat that had griddled him during that day of frenzied pursuit scarce a vestige remained in the thin air. Oh, that awful pursuit! His brain had scothed as a cauldron, his body reeled like a drunken man's, his numbed limbs responding to the driving power of his will as mechanically as the unfeeling pistons of a machine; the uncanny flying monster bearing the woman of his heart ever close before his glazed eyes, while March, his accursed rival, had ridden upon his back and borne him down like an old man of the sea. At times it had seemed as though he would go mad. March! Had he shot him? Yes, it dimly seemed to him that he had, and had left him dead upon the rocks below. What of it! Had it not been that he had been compelled to carry him on his back all day he would have reached this height an hour before—perhaps would have reached it in advance of the flying one and been prepared to meet him as he alighted. What mattered a dead man or two in a case like this when a dragon was to be slain and a princess—his princess, to be rescued! He laughed quickly, sharply, a single explosive sound more like the bark of a beast than the sound of a human voice. He turned and faced the plateau.

Desolation. It stretched away in a broad sweep on either hand, chaotic, volcanic, lumbered with the left over debris of mountain making—a junk shop of the unuseable fragments of creation. Boulders little as pebbles, huge as houses were strewn on every side, scattered broadcast, grouped in piles, heaped in monuments. Barren spaces lay between them. No living thing invested the solitude save himself and those to find whom he had so desperately risked his life in the ascent. To his disordered mind it seemed a battlefield well planned for the combat to come, for around these jumbled masses he could creep like a

"He Attempted to Raise His Pistol."

panther until he could find the dragon, and having found him—

Silence. It invested all, throbbing, pulsating, ringing in his ears like the voice of a sea shell. It hung quivering in the air, lying upon him as a smothering weight and filling all infinity. The rapid exhaust of his lungs was lost in its unechoing vastness, and when he uttered incoherently his voice was snatched from his lips and its volume dissipated in the void until but its whispered ghost remained.

Uncanniness. It lurked about him upon every side, in the malformed piles, the creeping shadows, the dead air, the brooding silence. As well might he have been a newly created being suddenly finding himself alone upon a world which he knew to be inhabited only by one other human and an evil spirit which he must meet in deadly combat. The thought aroused him. He must creep like a lynx around the outer edge of the plateau, taking advantage of every rock which might screen his form, narrowing his circle with every step until he had found them. In this systematic way he could so cover the ground that there would be no possibility of his overlooking them, and if his caution was keen he could take the dragon unawares, and take him unawares he must else the flying one would be off with her again and once more the maddening chase would have to be resumed. He drew his pistol and stole off among the rocks, his eyes flicking them as closely as a prowling animal's, his ears preternaturally acute. Behind the shelter of every pile he paused to peer and listen, while across the bare places he flitted as silently as a specter. One complete circuit of the plateau he made amidst the utter desolation and silence without results, then narrowing his circuit by a hundred yards began again. He would close in upon them like a contracting noose until at last he had found them.

The sun sank behind the range and dusk fell upon him still crouching, crawling and darting across the unscreened places. In the uncertain shadow of a rock pile his foot tripped against a stone and he fell upon his face, remaining as motionless as a watching lizard as he listened for an answering sound. None came and he slowly raised himself. Clearly enough it would be folly for him to attempt to pursue his search for the night-eyed dragon in the darkness. He might miss them, overrun them, be ambushed himself or eluded in the darkness. There remained but a few moments of even semi-daylight, and taking advantage of it he crept into a niche in one of the rock piles and composed himself to watch and wait with the cunning of the mad.

The darkness thickened. Fold by fold it fell upon the peaks and settled dense in the valleys, while minute by minute the glitter of the stars grew brighter, harder, more scintillant. From his narrow retreat he watched them blazing in their brilliance. Never had he seemed so near to them as now, when bruised, torn and unutterably weary of body but burning of brain he stared up at them with throbbing eyes. The cold of night came settling down from the nearby snow clad peaks, and coatless and damp he shivered beneath its touch. Fuel there was none upon this rock littered waste, nor would he have chanced a fire had there been lest the one for whom he sought might see or smell it. A new thought flashed through his mind. Undoubtedly the flying one now thought himself safe from his day-long pursuers, and if he possessed the skill of making fire, as did races of the earth no matter how low their order of intellect, then tonight of all times after his labors of the day he would beyond doubt seek to warm and cheer himself beside a blaze. And to creep upon an enemy who sits beside a fire at night is the very A B C of stalking. Shivering with the cold he crept forth.

Across the eastern peaks the moon arose and flooded the mountain top with its shimmer, and keeping in the shadows of the piled masses and pursuing his way with the stealth of a marauding Apache he crept on. Twice he climbed to the top of piles that commanded an exceptionally wide outlook across the waste, and from their summits scanned the plateau through the misty light. Nothing but the broad expanse with its cluttered fragments met his view, and each time he crept softly down again to steal through the shadows as he resumed his quest, alternately shuddering with cold and burning with fever. Above him the snow peaks glowed phosphorescently, on every hand the rock shadows lay like squat, fantastic monsters, while below was an abyss filled to the brim with solid blackness. Benumbed of limbs but with eyes and ears acute as those of a prowling beast of the night he crept along.

He had made two circuits of the plateau without discovery and for the third time turned to constrict the circle. His physical weariness was such that he seemed to move upon wooden limbs, and all pain had left him save the burning of his brain. He thought of the strange premonition of the day before which had told him that he was about to depart upon an unknown journey of mysteriousness, a premonition which he had not dared mention before March for fear of ridicule. Was this, then, the journey of which he had been so subtly warned by that mystic sense which at times he had seemed to possess—this pursuit into these wild heights where tradition said no human foot had ever stopped beside his own. He wondered as he paused for a moment in a strip of moonlight and fixed his eyes upon the next point which he must seek in his ever narrowing search.

Then from above came a sound that thrilled him as an electric shock and he threw his glance upward. Close above him and falling with the speed of a pouncing hawk was a great black shape with enormous wings and huge, bulbous eyes that glowed phosphorescently. With a rabbit like spring to one side he attempted to raise his pistol, only to fall headlong upon the stones beneath a heavy weight. For a moment he struggled desperately, but an instant later his weapon was torn from his hand and he found himself encircled by an arm that held him as in a vise. Then slowly but surely he felt himself being borne upward, up and up through the cold shimmer until the black throat of the canyon yawned bottomless below. From afar, as though traveling through infinite distance he seemed to hear a cry, the cry of a woman who is filled with a nameless horror, and once more he struggled fiercely against the iron grip that held him. Then the grip seemed to loosen and he thought himself falling—falling endlessly into an interminable abyss through a great and roaring darkness.

CHAPTER XIII.

The Search.

March lying flat upon the rocks first stirred uneasily as a sleeper who gradually awakes, moaned and then slowly pushed himself to a half upright posture, sitting in the dazed manner of one just recovered from an anesthetic. He looked around and above. Beetling cliffs and ragged mountain tops surrounded him, a deep gorge lay at his feet, the dropping sun was sending its horizontal rays into his eyes. He looked himself over. His clothing was torn, his hands and knees lacerated, his head humming like a taut wire vibrating in the wind. He tried to recall, struggling to compel his memory to yield its secrets as one might attempt to drive his limbs to some great physical effort, but his brain, partially paralyzed by the bullet which had raked his head, responded but feebly. Bewildered he tried to think it out step by step.

Where was he? He cast his eyes over the jagged mountain crests that arose on every side like the waves of a tempest lashed sea. He had seen them before—he was sure of that—but where? Strive as he would he could not recall. Who was he? Vainly he tried to remember, but his personality had wholly escaped him—even his name and place of abode were blank in his mind. Why was he here in the midst of this jumbled chaos of barren mountain peaks? Not a glint of recollection answered him. He was as lost as one would be who suddenly born of full growth found himself adrift in space possessed of his full faculties but with no past and therefore with nothing to remember. He looked at his hand, one finger of which was encircled by a heavy seal ring. It looked familiar to him—surely he had seen that ring before—but where? Mechanically he searched his pockets and found therein an envelope addressed to Alan March. The name was as familiar to his eyes as was the ring and hand, yet he was totally unable to place it. He thrust the paper back into his pocket and arose. Unquestionably he was upon a great height and instinct told him that he should get down as quickly as possible. Automatically he began the descent, his unfeeling legs finding the way clumsily, his brain benumbed, his throat dry as the waste that lay about him.

He went as one in a dream, sliding, scrambling, sometimes for minutes lying prostrate as a stone rolled from beneath his feet and tripped him into a fall. Eventually he reached the bottom of the canyon and there he found a stream, clear, musical, cold as ice, born of the everlasting snows of the great peak which had fathered and mothered it. He plunged into it as a seal leaves a rock, wallowing in its icy coolness, drinking deeply, submerged himself. Its liquid coldness washed the haze from his brain and he crawled forth refreshed and invigorated. In a twinkling he remembered.

He looked back at the tremendous slide which he had just come down, crowned by its inaccessible top which arose steep as a wall and to the eye as unsurmountable to the foot as the side of a giant bastile. Yet Tolliver had said that he had once been to its top and would now go again. But Tolliver was now insane and little dependence could be placed upon his statements. Yet Doris was undoubtedly somewhere up there and at the mercy of that merciless flying thing that had led them all day long in that fearful pursuit. Desperate and despairing though he was he forced himself to reason calmly. To return to the bottom of the cliff and beat blindly about it as a beetle attacks a window pane would be a waste of time, each minute of which was priceless. He must return, wire the aviators and with their help assail the height from the air. It would take at least a day's time to do this, twenty-four hours of maddening suspense to be endured, yet it seemed his only hope of eventually rescuing her in case she remained alive. As to what might happen to her in that interval he dared not think, but perhaps after all Tolliver might reach the summit, and Tolliver loved her also and despite his madness might be depended upon to protect her to his last gasp. Perhaps for the task in hand his madness was even in his favor, since it might give him additional strength, desperation and cunning. Drenched and shivering from his icy bath, he went scrambling off over the boulders.

The sun sank and the darkness became intense. Guided by instinct alone, he scaled the opposite side of the canyon, often dragging himself upward by pure strength of limb, more than once sending loosened rocks crashing downward to the bottom in leaping flight, their roar accentuated by the darkness. He reached the summit of the ridge and found himself standing in the glow of the moon, another deep plunge before him, but with light once more to serve him. Again he scrambled down the trail.

An hour later from the mountain side he paused as he fought desperately for breath. He looked backward. Miles behind him across canyon and ridge the desolate top of the table mountain loomed uncannily. The moon seemed to hang directly over it. What was happening there, what unspeakable tragedy in that dizzy land of desolation inhabited by an uncanny flying thing, a madman and a more than likely half senseless girl! He bit his lips until they bled, crying aloud in his impotence, his voice as cracked and broken as the voice of a raven. Then of a sudden as he gazed he became frozen to the spot, staring across the waste and upward with eyes which were dilated by horror. For against the face of the rounded moon he had seen a grotesque, bat-like shape arise, hover and then release a squirming object that shot downward as an arrow falls. He pressed his hands to his head, closed his eyes, then looked again. The forms had vanished, and uncertain whether he had really seen this grewsome thing or had been the victim of an aplsh trick of his imagination he once more plunged onward.

(To be Continued.)

Resumed the Old Name.

Mines and Minerals, that excellent mining publication of Scranton, Pa., has changed its name to The Colliery Engineer. It was known by that name for a number of years, but when it broadened its scope dropped this name for the more comprehensive one by which until now it has been widely known.

The Stage and The Players.

A Scene from "Bought and Paid For."

THE SOISSON.

"BOUGHT AND PAID FOR."

Analyzing the story of "Bought and Paid For," William A. Brady's most recent New York Playhouse success, which comes for the first time to the Soisson theatre, Friday, March 7, one is forced to the conclusion that George Broadhurst, the author, wrote an exceptionally powerful drama because of the simplicity of his treatment of the theme. The plot is so straightaway that it might be written on a visiting card. The intense interest of the play is in its pointed dialogue and the frank unfolding of his skillfully drawn characters.

The story deals with the marriage of a wealthy man to a telephone operator. She is of humble origin and into her new life of luxury fits her sister and brother-in-law. In accepting the proposal of the millionaire she made no pretense of anything more than admiring and respecting her husband, but in two years this feeling develops into love which battles with pride, when, in a moment of drunken debauch, he tells her he has bought and paid for her. In her resentment she leaves her husband, and refuses any assistance from him. She becomes a shop girl, and goes to live with her sister and brother-in-law, whom her husband has elevated to prosperity. Her action in leaving her husband also reduces this pair to poverty again. The brother-in-law, a ne'er-do-well, driven to extremities by the loss of his comfortable salary, and knowing that the husband loves his wife, makes one of his characteristic blunders, and thus brings them together again.

ABORN ENGLISH GRAND OPERA.

Music lovers here and in surrounding cities and towns are showing more interest i nthe coming of the Aborn English Grand Opera Company to the Soisson Theatre, Tuesday night, March 11, than in any other musical event for some time, on account of the splendid reputation this organization has established, and the rarity of grand opera presentations in this part of the country. For their coming engageemnt here, the Aborn management have made a happy selection in deciding to present Offenbach's "The Tales of Hoffmann" Tuesday night, March 11, at the Soisson theatre.

THE COLONIAL.

"LITTLE BOY BLUE."

A romantic operetta in two acts and three scenes, with score by Henry Berony and text by Rudolph Schanzer and Carl Lindau adapted to the American stage by A. E. Thomas and Edward Paulton, and direct from its six months run at the Lyric Theatre, New York will be the attraction at the Colonial theatre when Henry W. Savage will offer one performance only, Monday, March 10.

The story of the operetta centers upon the classical portrait of "Boy Blue" by Gainsborough, which is exhibited in the second act, in the chamber of the castle of the Scotch Laird, and the Little Boy Blue of the play, follows the original in dress and attitude. It is a delightful story in which a complication of circumstances follow a usual course of action and succeeds in producing a series of affairs that bring about the solution of a number of involved problems, in which respect the plot is like all plots that cover an evening of enjoyment in innocence nd mirth combined. It would be out of place here to go into the details of the story, which ends again, as of yore, in bringing about the happy marriage of two couples, notwithstanding themselves and without the slightest indication of any subsequent divorce proceedings. The cast is a notable organization of well known artists. Tenor, baritone, soprano and contralto vie with one another and the ensemble, thoroughly trained, assist them in making music of a better than usual quality, effective throughout the whole work. The operetta comes to the Colonial direct from its long and highly prosperous runs in New York and other cities. It has been one of the genuine musical successes of the metropolitan season and the reason iso its fullness of melody, its rythmic swing and brilliant climaxes, adn produced in an elaborate manner. A special feature in the third act is the introduction of a medley of old Scotch songs arranged by Arthur Weld, musical conductor of the Savage forces.

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According to the best information the backers of the project are eastern capitalists known as the Big Muddy Syndicate, who some time ago invested in a large block of coal in the northern part of Franklin county, Ill. It is part of their plan to develop this coal for coking in the by-product plant. Representatives of the owners visited Saint Louis a few days ago and inspected railroad terminals and other conditions with a view to the definite location of the plant. The coke, it is stated, will be marketed for domestic purposes. This is an entirely new proposition for Franklin coal. The coke-making qualities of the coal are said to have been the main reason for its purchase by the present owners. The entire output of the mine, to be developed on the land, it is stated, will go to the ovens, so that the new mine will not be a factor in the market for Franklin county coals. The builders of the Saint Louis coke plant are said to have in mind also the possible utilization of West Virginia coals for coke-making and for that reason want the Saint Louis plant to be located near the river, the plans being for the barging of the coal down the Ohio and the up the Mississippi

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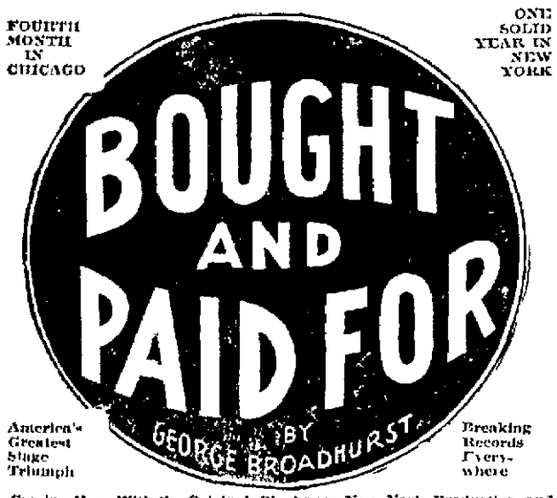

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Ivanhoe ginghams 32 inches wide, 15c yard, Anderson ginghams same width, 25c yard—both sorts in clear-cut stripes checks and plaids, and in plain colors

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Galatea, Sampson brand smooht, fine and distinctive, 27 inches wide, 15c a yard.

Kimono Crepes, 27 inches wide, and 18c and 25c a yard White and colored grounds colored printings in floral, Persian and border effects

Wash Silks, silk-and-cotton, suitable for women's wear, men's shirts, etc. 27 inches wide, 29c.

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